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AMERICAN SHELLS WIPE OUT NUMEROUS GROUPS OF THE GERMANS' GAS PROJECTORS

They Cause Fires and Explosions Back of Lines Also

ARTILLERY BATTLE GROWS

Activity Greater Today on Toul Sector Than at Any Time Yet.

REPRISALS ARE DEMANDED

German Paper Sounds Call for Destruction of Hundreds of English Towns to Reimburse the Huns for Merchant Ships Seized by the Allies.

By Associated Press.

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, March 13.—There was greater artillery activity by the Americans on the Toul sector today than at any time since they took positions there. American shells have obliterated at least five groups of gas projectors which had been set up by the enemy in preparation for an attack.

Fires back of the German lines also were caused and a number of explosions were heard. The American troops on the Toul sector again raided the German positions penetrating to the second lines. No prisoners were captured but a number of the enemy were killed by shells and rifle fire.

The sector occupied by American troops east of Lumeville which was designated formerly merely as being in Lorraine has developed suddenly into one of the most active on the front from the standpoint of artillery fighting. American artillerymen are hurling thousands of shells daily against the German positions making it next to impossible for the enemy to occupy them.

Investigation shows that they have been virtually abandoned. This is especially true in the neighborhood of certain places northwest and northeast of Badonviller where it is now permissible today to say that two villages mentioned as having been carried out simultaneously took place.

Certain information obtained in the American sector northwest of Toul leads to the conclusion that the German raid there this morning came at such a time as to cause the Germans to abandon plans of their own for a raid. At one point the Germans used mustard shells. A small number of Americans walked through the gas later.

Once or twice the Americans went close enough to the Germans to try their machine guns but without results. One plane in which there was an American went far back of the enemy lines. On returning the American admitted that they seemed pretty sick but he was unharmed.

LONDON, March 13.—Three Zeppelins took part in last night's air raid on England. One of them dropped their bombs on Hull.

The other airships flew about aimlessly over country districts dropping bombs and then proceeded back to the sea. One woman died of shock in consequence of the raid.

The Germans have sustained such heavy losses in Zeppelins that they have employed them only at infrequent intervals in the last year for raids on England, substituting aeroplanes. The last previous Zeppelin raid on England was on October 19, 1917, when 34 persons were killed and wounded. On returning the Zeppelin fleet was put to route by the French, five of the dirigibles being brought down.

WOULD DESTROY 400 TOWNS IN REPRISAL.

AMSTERDAM, March 13.—The destruction of 400 English towns by German aeroplanes is demanded by the Berlin "Tages Zeitung" as a reprisal for the action of the allies in confiscating 400 German ships on a long article the paper says: "If we are in a position to destroy the whole of London it would be more humane than to allow one more German to bleed to death on the battlefield. To hesitate or to surrender ourselves of feelings of pity would be unpardonable.

"More than 400 merchant ships have been stolen from us by Great Britain. Our answer should be that for every German ship at least one English town should be reduced to ruins by our airmen. Far better were it for us and Great Britain; France and the United States should call us barbarians than they they should bestow upon us their pity when we are beaten. Weakness and sentiment are stupid in these times."

GERMAN TROOPS ARE BEFORE ODESSA TODAY

BERLIN, March 13.—German and Austro-Hungarian troops are now before Odessa, the war office announces.

Aviator Drowned.

NORFOLK, Va., March 13.—Falling with his seaplane from an elevation of 300 feet into the sea Aviator M. L. Slaughton, U. N. was this morning drowned in Hampton Roads.

TO THE SENDERS OF LETTERS FROM THE SOLDIER BOYS:

The Courier is most grateful to the many parents and friends of the soldier boys "Over There" and "Over Here", who have kindly loaned letters for publication. These have come to this office in such large numbers that the publication of all of them as rapidly as they are received is an impossibility. We make use of them to the extent that space is available each day, regretting only that publication is sometimes delayed.

Appreciating the favor which the loan of a letter implies we wish to assure all our letter receiving friends that we will be glad to publish them as promptly as possible after receipt.

CREEL PROTESTS ORDER

Public Information Committee Not Handling Casualty Lists.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Chairman George Creel of the Committee on Public Information sent a written protest today to President Wilson against the war department's new policy of withholding the addresses of soldiers in giving out casualty lists. The committee has refused to handle for the department the lists as now issued on the grounds that *they are valueless to the newspapers* and the public.

President Wilson is studying the question from all its angles but is expected to come to no decision until a full report is received from General Pershing who has been asked for further information.

ROOSEVELT WOUNDED

Son of Colonel Struck by Shrapnel in Action in France.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 13.—Captain Archibald B. Roosevelt, son of Theodore Roosevelt, has been wounded in action with the American forces in France. A cablegram was received today at the colonel's office here. The message came from Theodore Roosevelt, Ja., a major with the American expeditionary forces. It reads:

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TO DROP GERMAN

New Castle May Dispense With the Study Before End of Term.

By Associated Press.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., March 13.—German will be discontinued in the high school of this city after the present term is ended and possibly at once.

An effort was made by some members of the board at last night's meeting to have the language dropped at once, but Superintendent George A. Dickson explained that pupils now taking German would lose their credits if they abandoned it in the middle of the term and would be handicapped in entering college since colleges and universities have as yet shown no purposes of discarding the German language.

PROHIBITS FIREWORKS

None Will be Used in Ohio Fourth of July Celebration.

By Associated Press.

COLUMBUS, O., March 13.—State Fire Marshal Alfred P. Fleming announced today that he will issue an order absolutely prohibiting the use of fireworks in Ohio this Fourth of July.

The announcement was made in conjunction with the beginning of a campaign against fireworks as a waste of money and powder that could be used in the prosecution of the war. The state fire marshal said he was starting his campaign at this time so that dealers would not purchase fireworks.

EXAMINATIONS OF DRAFTEES RESUMED BY BOARD NO. 2

Is in Preparation for Sending the Final Lot of Men to Camp Latter Part of Month.

In preparation for the sending of draftees to Camp Lee beginning March 29, local board No. 2 is holding examinations of men in Class 1-A at the armory this week. The first 100 men were examined yesterday afternoon and the second batch is undergoing the physical tests today.

No definite information regarding the movement of draftees or the number to be sent from here has been received but both boards have received notice that the movement will begin on March 29.

FORMER MEMBER OF TENTH REGIMENT KILLED

Robert C. Kotouch formerly a member of Company I, 10th now the 110th Regiment, was killed in the trenches of France on March 8. He went to Camp Hancock with the regiment, later volunteering for service in a machine gun company of the Rainbow Division which was sent to France and has been in active service on the firing lines. Kotouch is the first soldier of Westmoreland county to be killed in action.

NURSE WRITES OF THE HIGH PRICES IN FRANCE

Miss Florence Hogg of Pittsburg, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Snowden of Brownsville, since the outbreak of the war has been doing Red Cross work "over there." In a letter to Mr. and Mrs. Snowden Miss Hogg writes that food costs two or three times as much as usual, it is almost impossible to buy coal at any price, and wood is frightfully expensive.

DRAFTEE, DEMENTED, ESCAPES FROM OFFICER

While an officer from Camp Lee was enroute from that camp with Henry Harden, a draftee from Smithfield, Harden gave the officer the slip as the train was pulling out of Uniontown Friday evening and has not been heard of since. Harden's mind became affected while he was in camp. He was discharged from the service, it was stated, and was being returned to his home.

RETURNS TO CAMP AFTER FURLOUGH.

Walter Ritchie, stationed at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., left for camp this morning after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ritchie of Eighth street, Greenwood.

CAPTAIN JUNK RETURNS AFTER VISIT HOME

Captain J. L. Junk, who is stationed at a proving ground at Aberdeen, Md., has returned to duty after spending a brief furlough at his home here. Captain Junk received the rank of captain about a month ago.

PERRY MAN ACQUITTED

But Jury in Uniontown Places Share of Costs on Him.

In the case of Frank Battista of Perryopolis who was charged by Howard Truxel with assault and battery and aggravated assault and battery, the jury, after being out 10 hours, returned a sealed verdict in Uniontown last night, acquitting the defendant and placing five-twelfths of the costs on him and seven-twelfths on the prosecutor.

That he took action to protect his wife from Truxel who had attempted to assault her, was the defense made by Battista. At a party, he said, Truxel placed his arms about Mrs. Battista. He testified he picked up a knife to scare Truxel and that in *the scuffle which followed Truxel was* accidentally wounded.

ELECT SUPERINTENDENT

Of County Schools at Convention Called for April 9.

County Superintendent J. S. Carroll today issued a call for the triennial meeting of the school directors of the county to be held in Uniontown April 9, beginning at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a county superintendent.

Mr. Carroll will be a candidate for re-election, it is said.

Condition Improving.

H. C. Reeser, vice president and general manager of the Fayette County Gas company, who has been ill in Pittsburg, is slowly improving.

GIANT FRENCH GUNS ON MOBILE ARMORED CARS HAMMER GERMAN LINES

On a specially constructed railway that runs within a suitable range of the German lines these armored cars with the great 190-millimeter guns mounted on them line up and hammer the German lines with terrific bombardments until the enemy trenches are cleared and the French infantry can advance. This remarkable photograph shows a line of the armored cars with the powerful guns ready to go into action. It is the first photograph of its kind to arrive in this country. The guns and cars are camouflaged and are manned by French marine gunners.

FAYETTE BOY WRITES WHILE LISTENING TO ROAR OF ARTILLERY

Indian Head Soldier Glad He is Helping Win the Great Struggle.

LONGS FOR SPRING TO OPEN

Fayette county boys are right up on the firing line in the sectors occupied by American troops on the western front and they are imbued with such a spirit as makes them glad to be taking part in the great struggle.

"Even now while I am writing," says Edward Raymond Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sparks of Indian Head, and nephew of Mrs. S. H. Sparks of East Connellsville, "I can hear the roar of the artillery. But you don't need to worry for my safety for there is comparatively small danger in the artillery.

"I am glad I can say that I am helping win the great struggle between might and right. I would not want to be over here if I could not see some real action.

"The weather is not very cold here now. I think the real cold weather is about over for the winter. We have had much snowfall since the first of January. The Sammies are all anxious to see spring open up.

"I can imagine how glad Howard was to leave Texas. He said in his last letter than when he came over here he would try to get a transfer to my regiment. I ran across a boy from the California Normal school the other day. We are close to each other but do not often meet.

"Tell everybody to boost the Y. M. C. A., also the Red Cross. Words cannot express what they both are to the soldiers. Please don't worry."

Private Sparks is a member of Battery E, 7th Field Artillery. He was recently advanced to first-class private which carries with it an increase of $3.60 per month in his pay. His brother Howard is expected to shortly arrive in France with another command of which he is a member.

STEAMER AGROUND

More Than Hundred Passengers on Kershaw in Peril.

By Associated Press.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, March 13.—The steamer Kershaw, of the Merchant & Miner's line, with more than 100 passengers aboard sent out a call for help today and reported that she was aground off the Southern New England coast. Tugs were sent to her assistance.

The coast guards are rigging up a breeches buoy in order to take the passengers off. There are 121 passengers on the Kershaw. It is believed the vessel can be floated without being damaged.

Former Ambassador Dies.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Charles Page Bryan, former ambassador to Japan and former minister to several other countries died here last night of heart failure. He was 61 years old.

Weather Forecast

Rain tonight and Thursday; fresh to strong east winds Thursday, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1918	1917
Maximum	58	43
Minimum	52	30
Mean	55	37

The Yough river rose during the night from 4.70 feet to 4.80 feet.

BAPTIST LAYMEN CONFER

Important Conference to be Held in Local Church Thursday.

An important conference of Baptist laymen will be held in the First Baptist church tomorrow night at 7:30. The men of the local congregation are expected to turn out in large number, and the Baptist churches of Uniontown, Dunbar, Dawson, Brownsville, West Newton, Scottdale, Mt. Pleasant and Greensburg have been invited to send delegations of their men. Frank H. Robinson of Pittsburg, a prominent Baptist layman, will be present and address the conference.

Similar conferences are being held this month in all parts of the country. The object is to enlist the men of the churches in the general work of the denomination, particularly in view of the present world situation created by the war. Such topics as "Work for Our Soldier and Sailor Boys", "Solving After-War Problem", "The Christianization of America," "Making the World Christian", "The Deepening of Religious Thought and Life", are discussed. The Baptist laymen of the country, moreover, have undertaken to raise $1,000,000 to be devoted to the various missionary religious educational and patriotic enterprizes of the denomination and have expressed their determination to "go over the top" by March 31st. Of this amount $150,000 will be devoted directly to work among the soldiers in the various cantonments.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETS

Will Advertise For Bids on $27,000 Bond Issue to Settle School Debt.

A special meeting of the school board was held last night at the high school building at which time a resolution to advertise for bids on the $27,000 bond issue was passed. The $27,000 will be used to settle up the last indebtedness on the new school buildings.

No other business was discussed by the directors.

ELKS REHEARSE.

Good Turn Out of Cast for the Annual Minstrel Show.

The first rehearsal for the Elks annual minstrel to be held Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, April 16 and 17 in the Soisson theater under the direction of Charles E. Stout, was held last night in the Elks' home in East Crawford avenue. There was a good turn out of members of the cast who at once got down to work. Rehearsals will be held each Tuesday and Friday night at 8 o'clock in the Elks' home.

DERAILER CLOSED ON VANDERBILT SLAG DUMP; TURK IS GIVEN BLAME

Ignorance or Intent Held Responsible for Loss of Life and Injury to Workmen.

That a Turk employed on the slag dump at Vanderbilt closed a derailing switch on the dump track on which the collision occurred yesterday morning resulting in the deaths of two Italian workmen and injury to several others is the story current. Had the derailer been left set no lives would have been lost.

Three runaway cars from the dump crashed into a box car, filled with men, and an engine after the engineer made a hard run to get out of the way, only to find his path blocked by other cars.

A few seconds would have enabled the engine crew to have opened a switch and gotten out of the way but the runaways, traveling at terrific speed, were upon them before there was time even to warn the men in the car.

SIX TRACTORS ENTERED

For the Farm Bureau Demonstration Near Uniontown March 20.

Much interest is being shown by the farmers in the farm tractor demonstration which will be held on the farm of W. M. Thompson, near Uniontown, March 20. Six tractor firms have informed the Farm Bureau that their machines will be in the demonstration. Several other firms will be represented in the demonstration if at all possible for their machines to be shipped.

A certain amount of land will be staked off on comparatively level, also hilly land for each plow. This arrangement is made so that persons attending the demonstration may watch the workings of the different machines, and also can compare the work done by the machines.

Should the weather be such on March 20th that plowing cannot be done the demonstration will be postponed until the next day or the first day fit to plow. Community centers that can be reached by telephone will be informed should the demonstration be postponed.

FARM LABOR CONFERENCE

Is Being Held Here This Afternoon; Philadelphian Speaks.

A conference of great importance as bearing upon the farm labor problem in Fayette county is being held this afternoon in the directors' room of the First National Bank building, with L. D. Van Buskirk of Pottstown, representing the Department of Civilian Service and Labor of the Committee of Public Safety, outlining plans of the department for furnishing men for the farms.

Mr. Van Buskirk is here particularly in the interest of the appointment of a supervisor of farm labor who will have general charge of the problem during the growing season.

MAYOR IS SEVERE

Deals Out Five Day Sentences to Five Prisoners.

Mayor John Duggan handed out several five-day sentences at police court this morning. James Rady, giving Detroit, Mich., as his home, was arrested by Patrolman Rulli yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. He was charged with taking lead pencils and pen points from a five and ten cent store. Rady got one of the five day sentences.

Three well known young men of the city, arrested for disorderly conduct by Lieutenant Thomas McDonald and Patrolman Turner, each got five days in default of $5 fines.

SCOUTS SELLING TICKETS

Acting As Agents For the Connellsville Military Band Concert.

Boy Scouts will act as ticket selling agents for the band concert to be given soon in the high school auditorium by the Connellsville Military Band.

The Scouts in return for their services will get the use of the band in a liberty bond demonstration they expect to hold in the coming drive.

Garfield's Widow Dies.

LOS ANGLES, Cal., March 13.—Mrs. Lucretia Rudolph Garfield, widow of James A. Garfield, 20th president of the United States died at her home in South Pasadena today. Mrs. Garfield would have been 86 years old April 19. Pneumonia was the cause.

OLD CLOTHES FOR BELGIANS SOUGHT HERE

Week of March 18-25 Set for Receiving of Contributions

STIFF HATS NOT WANTED

Neither Are Women's Fancy Slippers Much in Demand.

THE COMMITTEE IS NAMED

Persons Having Garments Are Asked to Notify Members or Bring Them to the Basement of the Former High School Building Promptly.

The Commission for Relief in Belgium, a division of the American Red Cross, has set the week of March 18 to 25 as one in which contributions of surplus clothing will be asked from persons in Pennsylvania. The commission is making the drive for clothes here on account of the shortage that has caused great suffering in Belgium.

A local committee to handle the contributions has been appointed. Persons wishing to contribute any articles are asked to send them to the basement of the old high school building on Fairview avenue between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. The clothes will be taken care of there and packed in cases which will later be shipped to the commission's warehouses. Persons who are unable to deliver their contributions should call any member of the committee and notify them. A Boy Scout will then call for the articles.

It is hoped that 1,350 tons of clothing can be secured in Pennsylvania. All sorts of articles are needed for men, women and children.

It is requested that persons not bother to donate stiff hats for either men or women, not to send fancy slippers for women. Goods containing rubber, such as suspenders garters, etc., are not desired. No damp clothes should be sent in, and as leather goods deteriorate in shipment, shoes should be free of mud.

The committee which has been appointed to take charge of the clothes here follows: Mrs. S. R. Goldsmith, Mrs. E. T. Norton, Mrs. A. D. Soisson, Mrs. W. J. Bailey, Mrs. John Duggan, Sr., Mrs. Edna J. Brendle, Mrs. J. B. Stader and Mrs. M. B. Pryce.

The following is needed:

Men's wear—Shirts (preferably of light colored flannels), undershirts, underdrawers, trousers, coats, work suits, (overalls), suits (3 piece), shoes, overcoats, jerseys, sweater vests, socks, sizes 10½ and 11.

Women' wear—Shirts, drawers, corset-slips, petticoats, blouses, suits, (2 piece), skirts overcoats, pinafores, shoes, cloth hats, knitted caps, stockings (sizes 7 and 8), shawls.

Boys' wear—Shirts, union suits, undershirts, trousers, coats, suits, shoes, overcoats, jerseys, socks (sizes 1 to 9).

Girls' wear—dresses, skirts, overcoats, night dresses, drawers, stockings (sizes 1 to 6), undergarments, petticoats, suits, blouses, shoes.

Boys' and Girls' wear—hooded capes, pinafores, woolen union suits.

Infants' wear—Swaddling clothes, cradle chemises, bodices, cradle dresses, bonnets, bibs, neckerchiefs, diapers, shoes, baby dresses, hooded cloaks, jackets, shawls, sweaters, socks.

Miscellaneous—Bed ticks, bed sheets, pillow cases, blankets, mufflers.

SALES MOUNTING UP

Many Hundreds of Dollars Worth of Stamps Purchased By Students.

A total of $3,765 worth of war stamps has been sold in the schools of Connellsville in the six weeks the stamps have been on sale. The high school leads, having $1,421.53 to its credit. The high school students have only been buying for five weeks, the grades gaining a week while the mid-year examinations were on.

The sales in the city yesterday amounted to $844.07, with the high school leading, having $366.75 worth taken out. The others were as follows: South Side and Fourth ward, $209.16; Second and Third wards, $186.35; West Side, $81.81.

LYON ELECTED CAPTAIN

Clever Halfback Will Head High School Eleven Next Season.

At a meeting of the varsity football players of the high school football team held yesterday afternoon, "Bill" Lyon was elected captain for next season. Lyon will enter on his third year of football next season. The election was overwhelmingly in his favor.

The team loses by graduation this year Captain McCormick, John Moore and Charles Carson. All other players will be back next season and prospects of building up a fast team are good.

Measles Cases Reported.

Three cases of measles were reported to the Board of Health this morning.

FORMER CONNELLSVILLE CARTOONIST NOW DRAWING FUNNY ONES FOR MOVIES

Burton F. Gillett, Connellsville boy who for several years since leaving here was located at Newburgh, N. Y., has entered the motion picture field as a cartoonist. He is filling an engagement with the International Film Service at its New York studios and will probably desert newspaper art for the new calling. His work is the drawing of animated cartoons which have become so popular with devotees of the screen.

Naturally gifted with the use of the pencil, Mr. Gillett secured his initial experience in cartooning in Connellsville. For a number of years, however, he had been employed on the Newburgh News. The other day he went to New York and while in a movie theater the idea of visiting a studio struck him. He at once became interested and soon arranged to take up the animated work.

Mr. Gillett is a son of Mrs. L. M. Gillett of East Crawford avenue.

Admitted to Bar.

Robert C. Hagan, son of Postmaster Harry Hagan of Uniontown, was admitted to the Fayette county bar yesterday by Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen upon recommendation of the examining board of the Bar Association.

INDIAN CREEK VALLEY COAL OPERATORS MAY CHARGE $3.05 AT MINE UNDER A NEW RULING

Coal operators of the Indian Creek Valley are now permitted, under a price revision order of the Fuel Administration issued yesterday, to charge $3.05 at the mine for all grades of coal providing they have complied with the conditions of the Washington agreement and posted notice of their intention to pay the new scale of wages.

The privilege to make the new selling price results from an inclusion of the Indian Creek valley in the Somerset district in which the selling price of coal was revised by yesterday's order. The output of the Somerset district has been used largely for industrial purposes. It being the policy of the Fuel Administration to stipulate the fuel needed for shipment to industries engaged in the production of war material, the advance in this district is intended to stimulate production as well as to equalize the greater costs of mining thin vein coal.

The new price at which coal is to be sold is $2.60 per ton for all grades, to which 45 cents per ton may be added to cover the increase resulting from the wage advance of last fall. The former prices were $1.75 for slack or screenings, $2.00 for mine run and $2.25 for prepared sizes.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Catherine Balsley was hostess at a delightful meeting of the T. C. T. Fancywork club last evening at her home in Crawford avenue, West Side. In addition to members one guest was present. The evening was enjoyably spent at knitting and fancywork. Dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at Tuesday evening, March 26, at the home of Miss Edith Colborn in Morton avenue.

A meeting of the entertainment committee of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks was held at the home of Miss Marie McGuire on Highland avenue last evening. During the business session the book were gone over and the committee decided to arange for a dance to be held in the near future. After the business had been transacted the evening was spent in other entertainment. Albert Aldridge sang "Lily of the Valley" and other vocal selections were given.

The regular meeting of the L. C. B. A. will be held tonight in the Parochial school auditorium.

Miss Laura Jean Jarrett of Scottdale, and Mrs. Fred Burdette, Ohiopyle, were out of town guests at a miscellaneous shower given Friday evening by Miss Caroline Almeda Bracey at her home in Pittsburg in honor of Miss Ella Clifton Hershman of Pittsburg, a bride-elect.

Literature Day will be observed at the semi-monthly meeting of the Woman's Culture club to be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. B. Smith, with Mrs. W. P. Clark leader. Papers will be read by Mrs. Davis, Miss Byers, Mrs. Francis Wright and Mrs. W. O. Schoonover.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Circle No. 100 to the Grand Army of the Republic will be held tomorrow afternoon in Odd Fellows' hall.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Miller, 1116½ Sycamore street.

At the regular business and social meeting of the J. O. C. Sr., class of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday school held last evening at the home of Misses Helen and Lulu Carroll in South Prospect street, it was decided to dispense with refreshments until after the war. About 23 members were present and spent a most enjoyable evening.

The second of a series of chain dinners arranged by the women of the Christian church for the benefit of the Men and Millions movement of the Christian churches, will be held tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Porter in Wills road with Mrs. Porter, Mrs. P. R. Weimer and Mrs. John Enos hostesses. The third of the series will be held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. W. Buckner in Race street.

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Ruth Bible class of the Trinity Lutheran church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Edward Bear in Vine street. Miss Mary Errett was in charge of a devotional program at the conclusion of which Miss Elizabeth Ankeny entertained the members with a guessing contest. Light refreshments were served.

Homer Penrod entertained the young men members of the senior commercial class of the high school at a spaghetti dinner last evening at his home in Ninth street, Greenwod. Covers for 16 were laid. Charming appointments in keeping with Saint Patrick's Day prevailed. The favors were small pipes to which were attached green silk umbrellas. The high school colors, orange and black, were attractively used in decorating.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reed, one of the best known residents of the West Side, quietly celebrated her 82 birthday yesterday at her home in North Sixth street, West Side. Mrs. Reed has resided in the West Side virtually all her life, and has a wide circle of friends by whom she is held in high esteem. She has three sons, James B. Reed, George Reed and Charles Reed, all of Pittsburg, and all in the service of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. J. B. Reed, better known to his many friends as Captain Reed, is conductor on trains Nos. 5 and 6.

Miss Grace Means was hostess at the regular meeting of the L. W. class of the First Baptist church last evening at her home at Poplar Grove. The meeting was well attended and was one of interest. Seven dollars was realized from aprons made and sold by the members, was turned into the treasury. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Carrie Sue Percy in West Peach street.

A large number of tickets have been sold for the moving picture, "Alice in Wonderland," to be presented Saturday morning afternoon and evening at the new high school auditorium under the auspices of the Woman's Culture club, the proceeds to be for the benefit of the Red Cross. There are no tickets for children. Those of the grade school will be admitted to the morning performance for an admission of five cents. The admission for the older children is 10 cents and for adults 15 cents. Adult tickets are good for all performances.

Members of the Euterpa literary society rendered a delightful program yesterday afternoon in the high school auditorium. Following a business meeting members and visitors were entertained by talented seniors of the society. In two weeks the society will give a play under the direction of Frederick R. Smith, senior professor of English, and Miss Margaret Baker. The public is urged to attend these meetings which are held at 4 o'clock on the second and fourth Tuesday afternoons of each month.

The Nercissus club was pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Robert W. Leiberger at her home in West Apple street. Knitting and fancywork were the amusements. Delicious refreshments were served.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Claude Meckes of Masontown is visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Frank Meckes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Buttermore and daughter, Jane, who have been in Saint Petersburg, Fla., will leave this week for Southern Pines, N. C., to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Herpick before returning to their home.

Downs' clean-up sale of every winter shoe in their store for men, women and children is now in full swing. Sale lasts all this week. An opportunity to save some money. You always need shoes. Come early.—Adv.—11-3t.

Miss Irene B. Goldstein has returned to her home in Uniontown after a visit with Miss Naomi Rosenblum and other friends here.

Miss Ellen McIntyre of Leisenring is visiting friends in Pittsburg.

The best place to shop after all Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Eaton and daughter, Mrs. William Brickman, went to Pittsburg this morning.

Mrs. C. W. Downs of the South side is visiting in Pittsburg.

We have hundreds of the beautiful new spring woolens now ready for your inspection. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Mrs. E. E. Coleman of Greenwood is the guest of friends in Uniontown today.

John Dean is in Pittsburg today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cochran, Jr., are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Women—Have you been at Downs' Shoe Store and taken advantage of their sale of seasonable and stylish footwear? The very best of footwear sold in Connellsville.—Adv.—11-3t.

Miss Sadie C. McArdle and Miss Regina M. Nash of Scottdale, were shopping in town yesterday.

Mrs. Ralph Stiger will leave tomorrow for Shamokin to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Barr.

Mrs. H. A. Dittman of Duquesne returned home today after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. Vincent Rendine of Carnegie avenue.

Miss Anna Fox of Dawson has gone to the home of Mrs. A. E. Murphy, 627 Highland avenue, Pittsburg, where she will remain until April 1.

Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Edgewood, Pa., is the guest of her sister, Miss Elizabeth Hilkert.

Miss Nora Shallenberger of Brownsville, investigator for the Mothers' Assistance Board of Fayette county, was in town today on business.

Wakeful Nights

—go out of style in the family that once drank coffee but now uses

INSTANT POSTUM

This wholesome beverage of delicious flavor contains no drug elements to upset heart or nerves and its cheery goodness is just the thing in the way of a hot table drink

"There's a Reason"

COMMITTEE TO MEET

Organization of Junior Red Cross Will Take Place Saturday Morning.

A meeting of the Junior Red Cross committee will be held in the high school building Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. The organization of the Junior Red Cross will be gone over and other matters connected with the Red Cross work will be discussed. Every member of the committee recently selected is expected to be present at the meeting.

The division of the junior organization into units will probably be taken up. The Junior Red Cross will be affiliated with Connellsville Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Fulton-Willard Bout.

ST. LOUIS, March 13.—Fred Fulton, heavyweight fighter and his manager, Mike Collins, will leave here today for Kansas City where they expect to sign for a championship bout between Jesse Willard and Fulton on July 4.

How to Make Oatmeal Bread

Healthful to Eat—Saves the Wheat

1 cup flour
1½ cups corn meal
1 teaspoon salt
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup cooked oatmeal or rolled oats
2 tablespoons shortening
1½ cups milk
No eggs

Sift together flour, corn meal, salt, baking powder and sugar. Add oatmeal, melted shortening and milk. Bake in greased shallow pan in moderate oven 40 to 45 minutes.

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FOOD WILL WIN THE WAR

THRIFT STAMP SYSTEM IN PERRY TOWNSHIP PROVES A SUCCESS

Is Based on Good Banking Rules and Serves Double Purpose With Pupil and Teacher.

The thrift stamp system on the banking basis as adopted by the Perry township school board and installed in its schools by H. H. Slocum and Benie Luce of Perryopolis has proven in six weeks to be a decided success. Messrs. Slocum and Luce ruled up and the board had printed a pass book for each child and a cash book and ledger for each teacher. They then went to every classroom and explained and demonstrated to teachers and pupils. Friday morning was set apart as patriotic banking hour—the teacher acting as cashier calls the roll and the pupils respond by bringing up the money they have saved. If the pupil does not have a quarter, the amount he has is properly credited till it totals 25c.

The children have purchased over $4,000 of stamps. This is a big showing for rural district scholars, but the strongest feature perhaps of the system is that the influence the children have in the home upon the parents caused the parents to purchase through their bank or post office approximately four times as many as the children.

When the Perry township board, consisting of Dr. J. K. Martin, Fred Edwards, Waller Riedbeck, Norman Piersol, Frank Browneller, Ira Blair and J. Buell Snyder, discussed the advisability of making the system a permanent part of the course of study, it was brought out that the candy man, the peanut man, the chewing gum man and most of the others spend thousands of dollars every year to teach the children to be shiftless spend-thrifts and that the schools were doing nothing to counteract this evil habit—hence the system.

It costs less than three cents per pupil to have it installed and aside from reading, writing and arithmetic, it is regarded as the most important feature in the curriculum.

LATROBE HERE FRIDAY

Connellsville High is Nearing Close of Basketball Season.

The Connellsville high school basketball team will play the Latrobe high school here Friday night, which is the last game at home for this season, unless some other teams will be signed up later. The Duquesne high school team may come here for a game.

The Latrobe high team has been a rival of Connellsville for several years in football. Just what the basketball team has been doing this season has not been learned here but no chances are being taken by Coach Alderfer and he has his men down to hard work for the game.

The high school aggregation will go to West Newton Saturday night where the fast team at that place will be played.

LARGE STAMP SALES

B'nai B'rith Lodge Disposes of $1,000 Worth in Half Hour.

At the annual dance of the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith lodge held last night in Markell hall, a sale of war stamps was started and in about half an hour nearly $1,000 worth of stamps was sold.

Shaw Resigns.

T. N. Shaw, superintendent of the West Penn Railway interests in the Latrobe district for during the past eight years has tendered his resignation to become effective April 1. Mr. Shaw expects to become the Latrobe representative of a number of concerns which manufacture electrical mining equipment and other electrical equipment.

Finds Woman's Purse.

Patrolman P. M. Rulli has in his possession a woman's pocketbook which he found yesterday and will return it to the owner on being described. A woman, who the police believe lost the purse was inquiring at the police station yesterday, but the patrolman had not found it at the time.

Hooper Goes East.

T. J. Hooper went east last evening and will visit Philadelphia, New York and Boston on an eastern buying trip. Mr. Hooper will visit the Boston and Haverhill markets in the interest of the Connellsville and Monessen stores. He will return late in the week.

TEAMS CLASH TONIGHT

Lady Maccabees and Scottdale Girls Will Play for Championship.

The Lady Maccabee basketball team and the Scottdale girls will play for the girls' championship of Fayette-Westmoreland counties at the Connellsville high school tonight. The game will be called about 8.15 o'clock.

The two teams have been preparing for the game for the past week and both are after the title and the pennant. If the Scottdale girls win the game it will make the second championship to go to the Mill town, the Phy-Mo-Me club of the Y. M. C. A. having captured the junior championship of the county.

Scottdale will attend the game in force and a big crowd of Lady Maccabee backers are expected to be at the game. The big gym will hold an audience of several hundred people and the championship contest has been stirring up considerable interest.

VALUABLE DOG POISONED

Pomeranian Pup Belonging to Edward Crossland Dies.

A Pomeranian dog, owned by Edward Crossland, a baker in the field bakery of the 110th regiment at Camp Hancock, which was being kept at the home of Charles Crowley on the South Side died Monday at noon of poisoning. Whether the dog was intentionally poisoned or whether it got what was meant for another animal is not known.

The little dog was secured by Crossland in Philadelphia and was a thoroughbred in its line. Crossland refused several handsome offers for it. When the bakery was moved from Philadelphia to Camp Hancock he sent the dog to Crowley here.

OFFICER FINDS SUGAR

Recover 250 Pounds Said to Have Been Stolen From B. & O.

Armed with search warrents officers went to Bidwell yesterday and recovered 250 pounds of sugar, 25 pounds of beans, a lot of soap and other merchandise alleged to have been stolen from a Baltimore & Ohio car.

The officers arrested James Linderman, his son, Winslow Linderman, Francis Moon and Cuthbert Shipley. They are now out on bail.

EIGHTY-FIVE APPLY

Ten Seeking Hotel Licenses in Fayette County are Women.

Eighty-five applications for liquor licenses have been filed in Uniontown. This is 10 under last year's list.

The applicants embrace 10 women who seek hotel licenses, the total of which is 60. Among the applicants is Roman L. Hoyn, who is proprietor of the Summit Hotel. Nine applicants are for breweries and 16 are for distilleries.

Drum Major Dixon Dead.

John A. Dixon of Pittsburg, whom former members of the 10th Regiment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, will remember as drum major of the regimental band, and later holding the same rank with the Second Brigade band, died in Pittsburg yesterday, aged 62 years.

Farmers Not Affected.

County Food Administrator Charles Davidson announced today that the offer requiring the filing of reports of the amount of flour on hand and the needs for 30 days does not apply to farmers.

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COUGHS WASTE ENERGY

Careful physicians always point out that every cough wears human strength and tears down the body's resistive powers. The reason

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WEIMER, THE PIANO MAN, LARGELY ADDS TO HIS FLOOR SPACE

Increase Is Necessary Because of Addition of Phonograph Line and General Increase.

After 13 years of piano selling P. R. Weimer, the East Crawford avenue music merchant, has added the Brunswick phonograph to his stock, and in order to handle the increased business has enlarged his storeroom to twice the size occupied heretofore. The entire first floor of the Odd Fellows hall in East Crawford avenue is now occupied by Weimer's Music Store.

The phonograph was taken up by Mr. Weimer about the first of December and he immediately had to make preparations to extend his floor space. Two large arches, one in the front of the room and the other in the rear were cut through the wall connecting adjoining storerooms.

Two soundproof rooms, each 6x10 feet have been built in the phonograph department, making it possible to play three machines at once, instead of one. Each of the rooms is thoroughly ventilated.

A ton truck has been added to the equipment of the establishment to make the deliveries. The new machine will deliver both phonographs and pianos, large lines of which are always kept in stock. Mr. Weimer has also made arrangements to carry a full line of player rolls for the player pitnos.

Three large electric lights of several hundred watts each have been placed along the middle of the ceiling and on each side of the room are four other lights of lesser candle power, which makes the salesrooms the best lighted in the city. The whole interior has been repainted and redecorated.

The Grim Reaper

MRS. MARY WEIMER.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Weimer, who died Saturday at her home near Rockwood, was held yesterday afternoon from the Lutheran church at Rockwood, with Rev. E. H. Earler, the pastor officiating.

GEORGE E. GRAY.

George E. Gray, 18 years old, of Meyersdale died yesterday morning at the Western Maryland hospital in Cumberland. The body was shipped to the Gray home at Meyersdale.

ARTHUR DAVID SILBAUGH.

Arthur David Silbaugh, 50 years old, died Monday morning at his home in North Union township following an illness of heart trouble and grip.

WILLIAM SPRINGER.

The funeral of William Springer, who died on the Philip Wilker farm, near Morrell, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock from the residence of cousins of the deceased. Misses Louise and Martha Babbage, No. 212 South Eighth street, Greenwood. Rev. G. L. C. Richardson, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, will officiate. Interment in Chestnut Hill cemetery.

THOMAS E. JAMIESON.

The funeral of Thomas E. Jamieson, who died suddenly at Garrett, Ind., was held yesterday from the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. B. M. List in Wheeling, W. Va.

DEMPSEY STRICKLER.

Following a lingering illness Dempsey Strickler 74 years old, a former well known resident of Perryopolis, died this morning at 4 o'clock at he home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas McDonough at Swissvale. The body will arrive at Perryopolis Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock and will be removed to the Church of Christ from where funeral services will be held. Interment at Flatwoods.

Body Brought Here.

The body of Michell Cravardi Ciavarella, who was killed yesterday morning in an accident at the slag dump of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad near Vanderbilt, was removed to Funeral Director J. L. Stader's parlors and prepared for burial. Funeral tomorrow morning, with interment in St. Joseph's cemetery. Ciavarella was 48 years old and has a brother residing in Akron, O. His death was caused by a fractured skull.

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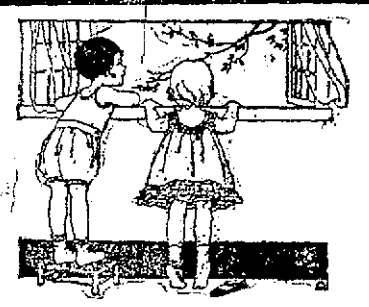

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NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

Women Start Movement to Provide Clothing for the Needy in France.

TALK PROHIBITION AMENDMENT

Committees on Four-Minute Speakers to Boost the Cause are Named; High School Freshmen Give Dinner for Member of Class Leaving Town.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, March 13.—At a meeting at the home of Mrs. James S. Poole at her Spring street home here last evening, the local W. C. T. U. started a movement to furnish clothes to the women and children of France. Some clothing has already been sent to the French war orphans but this is the first move made in this part of the comunity to get clothing to the women who need it so very badly. The matter of a county organization to furnish men and women to a bureau of four minute men and women in Westmoreland county for the ratification of the National Prohibition amendment was discussed and Mrs. J. E. Steelsmith and Mrs. C. W. Stauffer are the local women appointed to this bureau: Mrs. A. H. Herbert, Mrs. Anna Pabel, Mrs. Anna Lowe, Mrs. Albert Baird, and Mrs. Robert Gove were named a committee on publicity. Mrs. Fox received letters from boys who had received their comfort bags as follows: Allen Green on board the Dixie, who stated that when his friends remembered him in that manner although he was sailing all over the world it did not seem so large after all; from Frank Miller at Washington, and from Russell Eicher at Fort McPherson. Two new members were taken in Mrs. W. J. Marshall and Mrs. Imzi Shupe. Mrs. C. D. Reid will have charge of the clothing bureau for French people and will be asisted by Mrs. McGoogan and Mrs. Baird. The program was in charge of Mrs. Josiah Reynolds. Mildred Keslar recited. Mrs. C. A. Colborn spoke on the eight states that have ratified the amendment. Mrs. C. D. Reid recited "Uncle Pemus." Mrs. W. W. Eicher talked on Kentucky's vitory. These ladies decided to organize singing clubs for the community. Mrs. C. W. Stauffer and Mrs. A. I. Herbert will have charge.

Farewell Dinner.

The second division of the Freshmen of high school gave a farewell dinner for Esther Wardlow, who leaves today for Youngwood to make her home, in the dining room of the domestic science rooms at the high school at six o'clock last evening. The color scheme was carried out in blue and white even the napkins which had a blue S. H. S. in the corner. The favors were blue baskets filled with peanuts. The hostess was Miss Gladys Steinman and the guests of honor were Esther Wardlow, and Miss Mary Myers, the domestic science teacher. The committee in charge was Eleanor Yahner, Elizabeth Wray and Esther Peterson and the waitresses Mildred Reed and Esther Peterson. The guests were Meda Smail, Pearl Martz, Elizabeth Wray, Eleanor Yahner, Evelyn Hasness, Naomi Richie, Helen Whaley, Helen Fray, Mildred Yahner, Florence Rhodes, Anna Hardy, Margaret Eckman, Anna Ellis, Teresa Loucks and Gladys Smith.

Knitting Party.

Miss Madeline Kennedy entertained the Sodality at her Pittsburg and Chestnut strets home last evning, with a knitting party.

Opening.

We will have on display a beautiful showing of pattern hats, Saturday, March 16. You are cordially invited to attend: Brown Millinery Shop, Overholt building, Scottdale, Pa.—Adv.—11-3t.

Home on Furlough.

Corporal Walter E. Colborn of the quartermaster department, who is located at Camp Meigs, Washington, D. C., is spending a four days' furlough with his parents at North Scottdale.

Mrs. Charles H. Black, of Scottdale, is spending several weeks at Uniontown and Masontown visiting friends and relatives.

ELKS EASILY WIN IN INTERESTING GAME AT MACCABEE HALL, 53-29

Crowd Enjoys Game Between Antlered Aggregation and Pick-up Garage Five.

The Elks defeated a team picked up to represent the Garage last night, when that team failed to show up at the Macabee hall due to a misunderstanding. The final score was 53-29, the highest that has been run up in the city league by any team this season.

The Elks were at their best and although the game was a walkaway for that team after the beginning of the second half the contest was one of the most intersting of the season. Both fives were in the game for a good time and the crowd which had gathered to witness a "battle royal" was kept in an uproar by the amusing incidents.

Goodman got a run on field goals, scoring six in each half of the game. There was some accurate shooting by both teams in the first part.

There will be no city league game Friday evening but on Tuesday the Maccabees and Garage will go on the floor with the best aggregations that have been assembled this year.

The lineup:

Elks		Garage
Goodman	forward	Hixon
Cochran	forward	Driscoll
Rhodes	center	DeBolt
Bain	guard	Ash
Lessig	guard	Hannigan

Field goals: Goodman 12; Rhodes 5; Hixon 4; Hannigan 3; Cochran 3; Driscoll 2; Bain, Lessig, DeBolt. Foul goals: Hannigan, 9 out of 16; Rhodes, 4 out of 5; Goodman, 5 out of 10. Referee, Wall.

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If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then—a bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—sick headache—torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffing, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflammed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Adv.

STAR JUNCTION ACTIVE

Women of Locality Make Good Showing in Articles Sent Out.

The Star Junction branch of the American Red Cross since becoming affiliated with the Uniontown Chapter at the first of January, 1918, has made up the following articles: 40 hospital shirts; 42 surgeons aprons; 22 sweaters; 18 pair socks; six helmets and four pair wristlets.

The branch is providing the boys who leave here for the camps with a knitted outfit which consists of sweater, helmet pair socks and pair wristlets.

The knitted articles were made by the following persons: Elizabeth Daugherty, sweater and helmet; Mrs. William Essington, sweater; Eleanor Knox, sweater; Margaret Shubert, sweater; Mrs. M. F. Elwell, sweater and helmet; Miss Olive Essington, two helmets; Mrs. Chris Philips, 2 pair socks; Mrs. Frank Darr, three pair socks; Mrs. Joe Carr, sweater; Miss Josephine Carr, sweater; Mrs. D. M. Graham sweater; Emma Piersol, sweater; Mary Belle Echard, sweater; Mrs. James Wolfe, sweater; Ella Mae Pollock, sweater; Mrs. Beerbower sweater; Ruth Elwell, sweater; Mrs. Richard Lammie, pair socks; Mrs. Ingles, two pairs socks; Mrs. Dora Flora, pair socks; Mrs. F. L. Townsend pair socks and sweater; Miss Vesta Robinson, sweater; Mrs. I. L. Byers, sweater and pair wristlets; Mrs. Charles Brown, two pairs socks; Mrs. D. G. Essington, two pairs socks; Mrs. A. D. Shaffer one pair socks; Mrs. E. Schesler one pair socks; Mrs. J. O. Strickler, pair wristlets; Mrs. Grant Blair, sweater; Mrs. W. McBurney, pair wristlets; Mrs. D. Stewart, pair socks; Mrs. Clyde Brown, pair wristlets; Mrs. Josie Garee, sweater and pair socks; Mrs. M. E. Townsend, sweater and helmet.

LIKES ARMY LIFE

Smithfield Boy at Camp Gordono Has Been Made a Driver.

Clark Robinson, Smithfield boy at Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., has been made a driver with his organization. Writing to his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Robinson of Smithfield, he makes it evident that army life suits him. He says in part:

"Dear Grandma: I will try and write you a few lines in answer to your letter written some time ago. We are having fine weather here. We don't need any fire at night and the mud has disappeared. Nearly all our company is on guard tonight. I don't have to do guard duty any more since I am a driver. In fact I don't do very much but stay around the stable. I get $36 now. We have a dandy stable sergeant. We get along finely. I have four horses to look after. I am off on the mule business. As soon as I get my harness I will have to drive. I hope to visit Stone Mountain next Sunday. It is the largest granite rock in the world. Cutters are busy cutting a picture on the side of it. I am feeling fine and having a good ti . I don't know when I will get home to see you. I think it will be before very long."

Confluence.

Miss Ella Zufall has returned to her home in Connelsville after visiting friends here several weeks.

Miss Leah Show who teaches school near Markelton spent over Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Show.

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As the expression of his countenance would indicate "PA" STUBBS does not give parental approval to all that his young hopeful, Joseph, or better known as "CAP" STUBBS, does from time to time to keep alive a community interest in the Stubbs Family, but occasionally his heart opens up, and his purse, too. "CAP" is happy and generous in consequence, but he loses patience with the members of his band who do not take his view of the use to be made of such situations.

"CAP" gives demonstrations along this line, at intervals, as you will observe if you keep your eye on page five of The Courier each day.

HEALING RELIEF FOR TORTURING ECZEMA

A. A. Clarke has sold hundreds of jars of Hokara, and although he offered to refund the purchase price to any dissatisfied purchaser, not one jar has been returned.

While this is surprising in itself, yet the most marvelous thing is the reports of chronic cases of eczema that have been cured by this simple skin food. People who have suffered with scales, scabs and even bleeding itching have found relief in Hokara.

No matter wher the eczema, pimples or other breaking out occurs, whether on the face, hands, legs or body, the application of Hokara should give quick relief, and even the worst or most chronic cases should be cured in a short time.

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Coal Output in Canada.

The production of coal in 1917 in Canada was slightly less than in 1916, the estimate being 13,000,000 tons, as against 14,483,395 tons for the previous year.

HER DAUGHTER WAS SAVED FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Wells of Petersburg Tells How.

Petersburg, Va.—"For two years my daughter suffered from a weakness and pains in her right side; at times she was so bad she could not do any work. For two years she was attended by the best physicians here, and both agreed that she would have to be operated on. I suggested Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and at first she refused to take it, but finally consented. From the very beginning it helped her, and now she is entirely well, and telling everybody how much good it has done her."—Mrs. W. D. WELLS, 226 North Adams Street, Petersburg, Va.

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"MONEY" SCARCE IN CAMP

But "Jack" is More Plentiful, Writes Confluence Soldier.

The term "money" is not often heard in an army camp, says Herman F. Parnell who is at Fort Clark, Texas, in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Parnell of Confluence. It says in part:

"I received your letter last evening and as usual was glad to hear from you. Did I tell you that we are quarantined. Nobody is allowed down town, as there are a few cases of smallpox in the town. We were all vaccinated last Sunday. I have been vaccinated only six times since entering the army and have had about 20 shots in the arm. They say in civilian life one of these shots would cost about $75, so if that is the case the government has shot a lot of 'jack' into us. Do you all know what 'jack' means? That is the by-word for money. You never hear the word money about an army camp. It is always 'jack'. I didn't know what they were talking about when I first came into the service, but it doesn't take you very long to get acquainted."

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COLONIAL NATIONAL BANK — Corner Pittsburg Street and Crawford Avenue.
McDONALD MUSIC AND ELECTRIC CO. — Royal Hotel Block — N. Pittsburg St.
H. KOBACKER & SONS — "The Big Store" — N. Pittsburg St.
C. W. DOWNS — Footwear for Everybody — 127 N. Pittsburg St.
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ANDERSON-LOUCKS HARDWARE CO. — Hardware — 116 W. Crawford Ave.
CHARLES T. GILES — Jeweler — 141 West Crawford Ave.
BROWNELL SHOE COMPANY — Shoes — West Crawford Ave.
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The Gambler—Why, the whole deck, of course.

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Should see that the whole family take at least 3 or 4 doses of a thorough, purifying, system cleaning medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier, and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter, accumulated in the system, driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is one of the very best and surest spring medicines to take. Get it and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, ther'll feel fine and be well and happy. Connellsville Drug Co.—Adv.

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TOO LATE FOR GERMANY TO CHOOSE.

In the present war America has already struck some blows which have been quite as effective against the enemy of all mankind as though our troops had put a great army of the Kaiser to ignominious flight.

The adoption of the selective service law and its smooth operation, through which the greatest of all the armies can be raised, was a defeat for Germany because its agents in this country failed in their skilfully directed and insidious efforts to create widespread opposition to the system. Another blow, more humiliating to the pride of Germany than a defeat of one of her great armies would have caused was the wonderful exploit of American skill and genius in repairing the disabled German and Austrian steamships in less than one-third of the time the Germans thought possible and sending them to sea as carriers of soldiers to fight the Kaiser and provisions to feed his enemies.

Still another bloodless victory for the American people in their struggle to eliminate Kaiserism from the governments of the earth has been the ready acceptance of the restrictive orders regulating the consumption of food stuffs, to which Germany boasted Americans would never submit. But the most staggering blow of all that we have dealt German autocracy was that inflicted by the Congress when legislation was approved authorizing the sale of property in this country owned by people in Germany and empowering the President to take over the docks and wharves of the German steamship corporations in Hoboken, N. J.

If Germany has been or still remains, in doubt as to the determination of the United States to win in this war, she must now know that there is no more Yankee "bluff" in the decision to break loose the grip Germany has secured upon American trade and industry and preventing her regaining that grasp again than there is in the earlier and unalterable decision to have the ultimate treaty of peace signed in but not dictated by Berlin.

Germany's recent course in Russia and her present threatening attitude toward Finland and Sweden prove conclusively that the imperialists have no intention of employing any other method than the mailed fist in their dealings with every nation too weak or small to resist. Willing to give Germany a chance to show some disposition to be reasonable and fair in its treatment of other nations and peoples, President Wilson declined to join with the Allied conference in Paris to lay a trade boycott upon Germany after the war. Evidently taking this as an evidence of America's unwillingness to back up her Allies on war measures Germany has felt free to continue her arrogance. With the loss of the world's markets in certain prospect, as the price she must pay for the war Germany may now well consider whether the plundering of territory, which must be restored to the rightful owners when peace is signed, will not be a still more overwhelming defeat than that which, in due time, will come to her armies in the field.

The opportunity has passed for Germany to choose the form of the submission she must finally make. The allied nations have decreed that it shall be both commercial and military.

OUR CONFIDENCE CONFIRMED.

The reports that come from the battle front of France of the behavior of the American troops under fire and the vigor, vim and dash of the raids they make on the Huns, must stir the blood of the most sluggish and slow-going American, if he has within him even a faint spark of national pride and patriotism.

Day after day reports have reached us of little bands of Americans attacking or being attacked by superior numbers and making way with their enemies every time. Yesterday the news came of an American force, unsupported and unaided by the French, making a raid on the German trenches, engaging in hand-to-hand fights with Huns, killing and wounding a number of them and returning to their own lines without the loss or injury of a man.

During some of the earlier attacks by the Germans the Americans had not yet become familiar with their tactics and a number of casualties occurred, but now that they have learned the Hun tricks the native genius and quick adaptability of the Americans have made them equal to the emergencies. They are not only meeting the emergencies but they are creating some which the Germans have shown themselves unable to meet. Everywhere and at all times the Americans have shown the coolness, courage, resourcefulness and daring of the free-born intelligent citizens that they are and are proving that the German soldier, with all his training and years of subservience to iron discipline is no match for the quick-witted, agile and fearless Yankee.

While the results thus far developed by the participancy of our soldiers in the war are no less than we have expected, they confirm in us the sure confidence we have had from the beginning that once our boys were brought face to face with the Hun butcherers there can or will be no doubt of the outcome.

If the residents of Davidson avenue are the loyal Mud Islanders that everybody believes them to be ought not they to take some pride in living on a thoroughfare whose other name is Mud?

The city council is beginning to get a grip on the garbage problem.

The ladies who have not yet taken up the useful pastime of knitting need have no fear that they will be obliged to reveal their age simply because the youngest and the oldest knitters are proud of their accomplishments and, perhaps, also of their years.

President Wilson's message to the Russians ought to stir them to action to save themselves from serfdom under a harder taskmaster than any of their former Czars.

Connellsville is the postoffice of Fayette county today.

When the city acquires those two Ford trucks we may expect a real drive to be made on the entrenchments of General Garbage.

Residents of other sections of the city where the streets are unpaved may be disposed to question the right of Davidson avenue to the claim of being the worst street in the city.

Of the three towns Connellsville, Uniontown and South Brownsville Uniontown is the only one determined to observe pig penless days. Some distinction that, in these days of so many administrations.

LET HIM LIVE.

From The Silent Partner

As long as the flowers their perfume give
So long I'd let the Kaiser live—
Live and live for a million years
With nothing to drink but Belgian tears
With nothing to quench his awful thirst
But the salted brine of a Scotchman's curse

I would let him live on a dinner each day
Served from silver or a golden tray—
Served with things both dainty and sweet—
Served with everything but things to eat

And I'd make him a bed of silken sheen
With costly linens to lie between
With covers of down and fillets of lace
And downy pillows piled in place
Yet when to its comforts he would yield
It would stink with the rot of the battlefield
And blood and bones and brains of men
Should cover him smother him—and then
His pillows should cling with the rotten clay—
Clay from the grave of the soldier boy
And while God's stars their vigils keep
And while the waves the white sands sweep
He should never never never sleep

And through all the days through all the years
There should be an anthem in his ears
Ringing and singing and never done
From the edge of light to the set of sun
Moaning and moaning and moaning wild—
A ravaged French girl's bastard child

And I would build him a castle by the sea
As lovely a castle as ever could be
Then I'd show him a ship from over the sea,
As fine a ship as ever could be
Laden with water cold and sweet
Laden with everything good to eat
Yet scarce does she touch the silvered sands
Scarce may he reach his eager hands,
Then a hot and hellish molten shell
Should change his heaven into hell
And though he'd watch on the wave-swept shore
Our Lusitania would rise no more!

In No Man's Land where the Irish fell
I'd start the Kaiser a private hell
I'd jab him stab him give him gas
In every wound I'd pour ground glass
I'd march him where the brave boys died—
Out past the lads they crucified

In the fearful gloom of his living tomb
There is one thing I'd do before I was through
I'd make him sing in a stirring manner
The wonderful words of The Star Spangled Banner

Rippling Rhymes

By Walt Mason

WASTELESS MEALS.

My table sees no wanton waste I do as Hoover tells I eat my eggs with eager haste and then consume the shells. Three times a day I drop my harp and hush its golden tones and eat my share of kippered carp and then I eat the bones. But casting levity aside since it's in rotten taste I take a patriotic pride in cutting out the waste. We used to have a garbage can—fornist the barn it stood—and there the hired girl often ran to dump all kinds of food. Big chunks of steak we failed to eat she'd throw therein kersplash but now we take such hunks of meat and make uplifting hash. For things in bulk in days of old, I used to blow my pay and when they grew a crop of mold we threw the lot away. But now I'm careful of the dime, I buy just what we'll eat, say two molasses at a time one egg one grain of wheat. I always save the coffee grounds and I them o'er and o'er no wasted provender abounds back of my kitchen door. The village dogs that once were fat on what I threw away, now through their skins show every slat and they must live on hay. The guests who have shorter grown the but [illegible] feel an ache when he wraps up a clean soupbone where once I bought a steak. It is no faddist's path I tread no scheme of fitful gusts I gladly eat my plain brown bread—the children eat the crusts.

MASSACRE OF THE INNOCENTS. —By Macauley.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR SEAT IN SENATE

Miss Anne Martin of Nevada vice chairman of the National Woman's party, who has announced her candidacy for the senate seat recently made vacant by the death of the late Senator Newlands. Miss Martin was graduated from the University of Nevada and from Leland Stanford and has studied in Cambridge. She is now in Washington.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest

TEMPTATION.

Profit came whispering to him
And on a shining golden tray
A goblet bubbling to the brim
With wine that held a rare bouquet.
His eyes beheld and platters rich
With costly foods were gayly spread
And Profit questioned of him which
Of life's two ways he cared to tread

Your children shall know days of ease
Your wife shall sit in satins fine
Her years shall teem with luxuries
And you shall quench your thirst with wine
Spake Profit with a winning smile
Bow down to me and take my gold
And do my service for awhile
And all my treasures you shall hold

And he was tempted tempted sore
So easily he could have freed
His own from want forevermore
So great the stake So small the deed
Then spoke another to him there
Look through your window to the sky
And see the Flag that's flying there
Beneath it now men's children die

Grow rich in honor when you can
Serve Profit when her ways are fair
But follow neither gold nor man
That for the Flag has ceased to care
Your country cries for service now
America has need for you!
Will you in shame to Profit bow
Or will you keep your record true

"I would win gold for them I love
He answered but I'd take no gain
That I must be unworthy of
I want no riches with a stain
I'll make America my creed
And suffer hardships at their worst
Today above all other need
I'll [illegible] [illegible]

Notice

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED in [illegible] Payable per cent [illegible] the School District of the City of Connellsville at the office of the School Board High School Building Fairview avenue until noon March 28th 1918. School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. mar13 20-27

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Wanted.

WANTED — YOUR BARBERING business RENDINE'S. tf

WANTED—GIRLS FOR FACTORY and shipping department TRI-STATE CANDY COMPANY. 1-martfd

WANTED—SECOND HAND TYPEWRITER Call Bell 11 R, or Tri-State 93 W. Mount Pleasant. 23febtf

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL for general housework. Call 202 West Cedar avenue after 6 P M. 4martf

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply to MRS A T DAY ... 103 Haas avenue. 4martf

WANTED—WAITRESS ALSO A chambermaid at once. CUPPS RESTAURANT. 11mar6t

WANTED—NURSE GIRL INQUIRE MRS L KINSBURSKY 509 Lincoln avenue. 12mar3t

WANTED TO RENT SIX OR SEVEN room house with bath and furnace. Address HOUSE care Courier. 1 mar3t*

WANTED—BOYS AND GIRLS OVER 16 years of age Paid while learning CONNELLSVILLE SILK MILL. 1am tf

WANTED—WARD MAIDS AND INstitutional cook for hospital, also laundryman. Address SEWICKLEY VALLEY HOSPITAL Sewickley Pa. 11mar3t*

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALES lady at once. Good wages steady position. Must understand alterations. PEOPLES DEPT STORE 270 North Pittsburg street. 13mar2t

WANTED—A MAN WITH SOME EXperience for foundry store keeper. Apply at office of CONNELLSVILLE MANUFACTURING & MINE SUPPLY CO West Side. 1mar tf

WANTED—MINERS WANTED WHO are studying for examinations to get the best mining book published. Mining in a Nutshell by AYERS WARD LAW Scottdale Pa. Price $1.25. 8feb tf

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CASHIER and stenographer for department store. State salary wanted and give reference with application in own hand writing. Address N care Courier. 6f atf

WANTED—GOOD STEADY COLORED man for cleaning cars. Must be over 21 years. Good position for right party. Apply MASTER MECHANIC West Penn Railways shops. 11mar3t

WANTED—OLD FALSE TEETH Don't matter if broken. I pay $ 00 to $15.00 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L MAZER 2007 S Fifth street Philadelphia Pa. 5mar 3t*

WANTED—WHITE AND COLORED laborers for regular work. Nine hour day time and one half for overtime. Make twelve hours. KEYSTONE STEEL CONSTRUCTION COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA Greensburg Pa. feb tfd

WANTED—ANY KIND OF PRINTING whether it is a calling card, sale bill or the finest engraved wedding invitation or announcement. We print anything—everything—do it right and do it right. Call the man at THE COURIER office. Both phones. 27 tf

WANTED—[illegible] [illegible]

For Sale

FOR RENT—A THREE STORY brick building suitable for a garage or manufacturing purposes on the corner of Meadow Lane and Church Place. Inquire J. L. STADER. 12marif

For Rent.

FOR RENT—ONE DESIRABLE store room formerly occupied by Means & Murphy. Inquire FLORENCE SMUTZ. 28febtfd

FOR RENT—TWO FIVE ROOM houses, gas and bath, rent reasonable, one has garden. J. SOLIS Hogg Addition. 11mar6tfd

FOR RENT—FRONT OFFICES ON second floor of Dunn & Evans building. Inquire of HARRY DUNN. 8jan tfd

FOR RENT—THREE NICELY FURnished rooms for light housekeeping. No children. 1217 Sycamore street. 13mar1t

FOR RENT—TWO LARGE UNFURnished light housekeeping rooms. No children. 609 East Green street. 28feb eod

For Sale.

FOR SALE—KITCHEN CABINET sewing machine leather rocker. 51 North Pittsburg street. 13mar1t eod

FOR SALE—BARGAIN EIGHT room house and lot 40x120 Eighth street West Side. Inquire 119 South Eighth street. Tri-State 695 W. 7mar3t*

FOR SALE—TWO ACRES LAND with seven room up to date house near Connellsville along street car line. Address HOME care Courier. 13mar6t*

FOR SALE—THE LATE SARAH A Marietta residence in Johnston avenue. Inquire MRS J T DAVIES Bell phone ... Tri State 646 Uniontown. 1martf

Lost.

LOST—CHILD'S GREY FUR NECKpiece between McCormick butcher shop and Eighth and Fayette streets. Reward if returned to The Courier. 11mar3t

Executrix Notice

ESTATE OF JAMES M REID LATE of the city of Connellsville county of Fayette and state of Pennsylvania deceased.

Letters Testamentary on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. NANNIE F REID Executrix Connellsville Pa. H C MAY Attorney. 6mar6t wed

Charter Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made by [illegible] to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Friday April 12 1918 at 10 o'clock A M under the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations approved the 29th day of April A D 1874 and the supplements thereto for a charter for an intended corporation to be called SYRIA COAL COMPANY the character and object of which is the mining of coal and the manufacture of the same into coke and the sale of coal and coke and for these purposes to have possess and enjoy all the rights benefits and privileges by said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto conferred. STERLING HIGBEE & MATTHEWS Solicitors. mar13 [illegible]

Wanted
AT ONCE
LINOTYPE OPERATOR
AT THE
DAILY COURIER OFFICE

SPRING FOOTWEAR

All the dainty new styles in footwear for women, misses and children are now on display at our stores. Most attractive styles for women in high top, fancy colored shoes. We have them with light colored leather tops or we have them all leather as you like. The prices are high, all shoe prices are high, yet notwithstanding we believe our prices are a little lower than most competition. You will be convinced of this if you examine and compare. There are very attractive lines of dress shoes for men and boys in many different lasts, and when it comes to working shoes for men yield to nobody. The workmen shoe question has been a study with us for years, every pair we have are made special under our own supervision. They are practical in style, practical in make only good high-class material used, and the greatest feature of all is our moderate prices. In addition to the high class line of shoes we have the White Lopacs in the high top and the medium height. Wonderfully popular footwear for mining work. There has been some objection to these lopacs at least some persons have decided they were too warm for spring and summer wear but the man that wears them ought to be the judge. They claim they are comfortable they claim they get equally as much satisfaction out of them in spring and summer as they do in the winter. Therefore the stocks are kept up and are always ready to supply the demand.

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Anything, Have Anything for Sale or Rent, Try Our Classified Ads at One Cent a Word. They Bring the Results.

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MT. PLEASANT, March 13.—Miss Emma Miller will conduct a clerk and carrier examination at the First Ward school building on March 23. It is hoped that a large class will take part in the examination and that all persons wishing to take the examination will come early so that they may have entrance cards.

Benefit Tea.

The Junior Society of the United Presbyterian church will hold a tea at the parsonage from 2 until 5 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. The proceeds will go to the Boys' Home at Khartum.

Robert P. Ramsay.

Robert P. Ramsay, aged 28 years, died yesterday at his home at Tarrs. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Tarr church and interment will be made in the Tarr cemetery.

Plan Oyster Supper.

Several times during the past winter the Odd Fellows club have made an effort to hold an oyster supper and each time they expected to have the supper the boy would be frozen over so that no oysters could be shipped and the lovers of oysters were doomed to disappointment. They have set March 23 as the date and expect this time to hold the supper in the I. O. O. F. club rooms.

Alley Angel Pinched.

Miss Minnie Johnston, known as the Alley Angel, was arrested, charged with disorderly conduct by Police Officer White, and left a ten dollar forfeit with the burgess.

Units Organized.

Miss Edith Warden has organized the following units of the Junior Red Cross: St. Joseph Parochial school, James Mullin, chairman; Hecla No. 1, Jesse Hosfelt, hcairman; Hecla No. 3, Andy Bindof, chairman; Hecla No. 4, Nellie Saurewein, chairman; Hecla No. 6, Genevieve Mullin, chairman.

Talks on Camp Life.

Morris Pigman of Company E, 110th regiment, gave a talk on Camp Life at the Re-union Presbyterian Sunday school on Sunday morning on Camp Life.

After Violators.

Burgess Sam P. Stevens has notified all of his police officers that the ordinance relative to the dumping of ashes and garbage off of one's own property be strictly enforced and the police are making a special tour of the alleys and streets, looking for any place that garbage or ashes may be dumped on the streets and sidewalks. All of this must be removed.

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, March 13.—Miss Bertha Pryer of Connellsville spent a few days here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, the guest of Miss Duella Ritenour.

William Miller and John Hansel of Mill Run were business callers in Connellsville.

Mrs. James Cole of Luzerne spent a few days here among friends.

Hiram Connor was a business visitor in Connellsville.

Mrs. Dave Bigam and daughter Geraldine of Mill Run are spending today among Connellsville friends.

Bruce Miller returned to duty this morning after a week's illness.

S. G. Sweitzer has resumed duty after a week's illness.

Frank Bigam of Mill Run was a business caller here today.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, March 13.—Rev. L. R. Doak of Bethany, W. Va., preached at the Christian church both morning and evening Sunday.

Miss Oreta Sisley of Hazelwood is visiting relatives in town.

A daughter has arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Murphy.

Miss Helen Marshall of Monessen spent the week-end with friends in town.

Mrs. R. P. Kamerer was a Pittsburgh shopper Monday.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Thorpe Sunday.

Dewey Kerr of Roscoe spent Sunday with friends of town.

Gilbert Sisley, Edward Burnworth and Charles Chalfant are called to Brownsville today for physical examination.

MOTHERS
Keep the family free from colds by using
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NEW RACE DEPARTURE

Intermittent Entry Fee is Adopted for the Dawson Meet.

The management of the Dawson Fair, to be held September 10-13, has announced that it will give three stakes that have proved to be of more than passing interst to horsemen looking for engagements on the two-lap tracks.

A new departure in half-mile track stakes was anounced by Secretary Harry Cochran when he adopted the intermittent plan of payment of entrance fee. The classes are open to the world and consist of the 2:24 pace, 2:18 trot and a 2:17 pace, and each carry a value of $600.

Already a number of horsemen have heard the call and by March 15 the secretary promises to have a bunch of entries.

It was only last year that the intermittent payment plan was given to the public and Dawson is the first track to adopt this method in this country outside of the mile tracks. The new plan calls for only 1 per cent of the purse of $600, if the entry is made on or before March 15; $12 if made before April 15; $18 if made before May 15; $25 if made before June 15. Five per cent is all that is asked to name a horse in any of the events a week before the race of September 3.

These stakes are the most liberal that have been announced to date and should be the magnet to draw many good horses to this meeting this fall. Dawson follows the state fair at Wheeling, and as all the best half-mile performers can always be found at Wheeling, Dawson will have fully as good if not a much better entry list than Wheeling.

Read The Daily Courier.

NEAR DEATH!

Saved by a Miracle

LINDEN HALL, PA.—"Two years ago my back began to get weak and pain, but I didn't pay any attention, thinking it would soon get all right again. But instead I got worse, and I called the doctor. He gave me some medicine and I got worse. I went to bed. Sometimes he gave me pills, then powders, then liquid medicine. This went on for eight months. My appetite was gone and my weight dropped from 190 to 130. I could not sleep only when forced by an opiate. I was up and down. Sometimes my water would look like spring water, then like blood, then like milk, and pained me. We sent for a trial package of Anuric. I took them, and the pain let up. I got two more bottles and was up and around the house, and after using two more I went to work again. Doctor Pierce's Anuric Tablets alone saved my life. One day I plainly asked my physician if I was going to die. He pointed to an apple hanging outside my bedroom window and said my life was like the apple—no telling when it would drop. Just then the trial box of the Anuric Tablets came, and a great change with them. Thank God and Dr. Pierce for restoring my health."—ANDREW C. SMITH, Box 16.

FAIR HOPE, PA.—"I hereby testify that I used Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets for kidney trouble, and they have done me so much good that I would like for all other people who are bothered with kidney trouble to use them. I have used a great many kinds of medicine but none has helped me or has done me as much good as Anuric."—MRS. ANNIE WILLIAMS, Fair Hope, Pa.

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For weeks we have been receiving continuous delegations of the cleverest new styles, till now every department has received its quota—Modes that express the charm of Spring-time and the joy of Easter-tide. Meeting your requirements in new and worthy merchandise is our purpose.

The entire store has donned its Spring garb and now we are ready to welcome you.

Come—We Invite You

Be our guest, we will be pleased to welcome and entertain you and your friends.

MUSIC THURSDAY 2.30 TO 5 P. M. By Kiferle's Orchestra.

SEED BILL APPROVED

Measure to Aid Farmers is Favorably Acted Upon by House Committee.

The Baer bill to purchase seeds for farmers and mobilize farm labor has been approved by the House Agricultural Committee.

The bill carries an appropriation of $10,000,000, of which $7,500,000 is to enable the secretary of agriculture for the 1918 crop to make advances or loans to farmers in spring wheat areas wherever he finds special need for assistance in purchase of wheat, oats and barley for seed purposes, or where necsary to procure seed and sell it to farmers and $2,500,000 is for voluntary mobilization and distribution of farm labor for production and harvesting the 1918 crops.

Patronize those who advertise.

CENSUS OF MEN OVER 50

Suggested as Basis for Adopting Old-Age Pension System in the State.

A census by the police in every city and town in the state of all persons more than 50 years of age for the purpose of obtaining information for the granting of old-age pensions was proposed at a hearing of the State Commission for the consideration of Old-Age Pensions, recently appointed by Governor Brumbaugh.

Reports from poor directors of each county show the average cost of maintenance per capita is $2.80 a week. It was the consensus of opinion that the monthly pensions should be $25. The commission will report to the next Legislature.

Classified Advertisements

Bring results. Cost only 1c a word.

Williams' Kidney and Liver Pills

Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and liver? Have you pains in loins, side and back? Have you a flabby appearance of the face and under the eyes? If so, use WILLIAMS' KIDNEY AND LIVER PILLS. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents.

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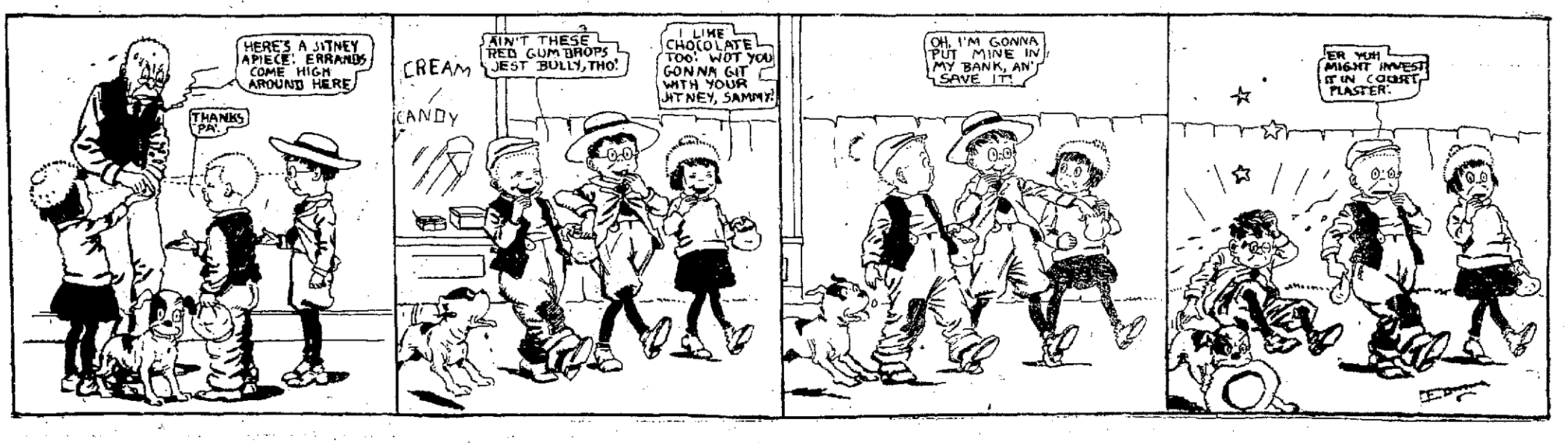
You will find them in our ad. columns.

"CAP" STUBBS

PRUDENT SAMMY

By EDWINA



At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"HANDS DOWN"—A five part Bluebird attraction, in which Monroe Salisbury appears as Dago Sam, a smiling young Italian who goes about doing good wherever he can, is being shown today. The part is one of the best pieces of character work seen on the screen in a long time. Mr. Salisbury both looks and acts his role, and he brings out convincingly Sam's revulsion of feeling, when after all he had done for others, he exclaims "Nobody believes in me." The story is a lively one, excellently constructed and decidedly dramatic. Dago Sam wanders forth with his pack, promising his sweetheart he will bring her a present from the nearby town. He sees an attempted murder and the theft of some valuable papers; he interrupts a crooked gambling game, he saves the life of Tom Flynn and later that of his sweetheart, Hilda. Hugh Clifford fills the role of Hilda very attractively. A selected comedy is also being shown. Tomorow "Broken Ties," a five part attraction in which June Elvidge, Montague Love and Arthur Ashley appear, will be shown. "Broken Ties" tells a remarkable story of the lengths gone to by an attorney to clear his client of a murder charge. Friday and Saturday Constance Talmadge will appear in "Scandal," a late select release which deals with the dangers attendant on bucking the old conventional standards of society and shows how one anal lie will beget thousands.

THE ORPHEUM.

"BABES IN THE WOODS" is an appealing photodrama featuring the Fox Kiddies. It is the story of a man who in order to prove to himself that his wife is faithful, disappears. It is known that his money will revert to his two children. Through the butler he learns that his wife and brother contemplate killing the two children in order to come into possession of his millions. He returns and tells his little son and daughter the story of Hansel and Gretel, which case was similar to his own. Hansel and Gretel are taken to the woods to be killed. They are rescued by the good fairy but later out of hunger, they find the ginger-bread house belonging to the witch. They are captured, but Gretel pushes the old witch into the oven and the two escape. The black prince, who has been after the two children, at last captures them. They are saved again by the good fairy. The story has such an effect upon the mother that she realizes the wrong and from then on the family become more firmly united. Tomorrow, Edna Goodrich, the vivacious beauty of stage and screen is featured in the Mutual drama "Who Loved Him Best?" It is the story of how love's institution saves a sculptor's fame.

THE ARCADE.

"THE NEW RECRUIT."—Jack Grant who heads the company at the Arcade this week is a student of negro character and his droll fun is the kind that you laugh about for a long time after you see his show. Pathetic at one moment only to go to the heights of egotism is a prominent characteristic of this type and Mr. Grant can express both emotions with amazing naturalness. As a foil for him is Miss Hazel McKenna who appears as a chocolate colored girl, with a rapid line of chatter and movements. The best part of their work, that which is true to type, is an eccentric dance which includes "Walkin' the Dog", "Balling the Jack" and "the rabbit hop," gyrations that are the same time both ludicrous and comical. Douglas and Mrs. Fleming are equally as prominent in today and tomorrow's bill, which is entitled "The New Recruit." Mrs. Fleming is just about the funniest female Connellsville has ever seen. A tall, elongated girl, just bubbling over with good humor, she soon has all her auditors in a pleasant mood and they regret that she and her sweet voiced husband make their exit. Mrs. Fleming is effervescing with good cheer, and in these drafty days, this is more valuable than gold. The other members of the company are all good performers, and this week's show at Connelsville's fun palace is more than meritorious. The picture today and tomorrow will be "Vengeance and the Woman", which is becoming more interesting each week. Truly, the Arcade is the home of thrills and frills.

You Can Tell the People Who Have Iron in Their Blood—Strong Healthy, Vigorous Folks

Doctor Says Ordinary Nuxated Iron Will Increase the Strength of Nervous, Run-down People in Two Weeks' Time in Many Cases.

"ONE glance is enough to tell which people have iron in their blood," said Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician who has studied widely both in this country and in great European medical institutions. They are the ones that do and dare. The others are in the weakling class. Sleepless nights spent worrying over supposed ailments, constant dosing with habit-forming drugs and narcotics and useless attempts to brace up with strong coffee or other stimulants are what keep them suffering and vainly longing to be strong. Their real trouble is lack of iron in the blood. Without iron the blood has no power to change food into living tissue and therefore, nothing you eat does you good; you don't get the strength out of it. When iron is supplied it enriches the impoverished blood and gives the body greater resistance to ward off disease. I have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the time increase their strength and endurance in from ten to fourteen days' time while taking iron in the proper form. And this, after they had in some cases been going on for months without getting benefit from anything.

If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. There is nothing like good old iron to help put color in your cheeks and sound, healthy flesh on your bones. But you must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like nuxated iron if you want it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron recommended above by D. E. Sauer, is one of the newer organic iron compounds. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, make them black, nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successfully and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed in this city by A. A. Clarke and all other druggists.—Adv.

Summer Normal.

There will be a live Summer School at South Connellsville Pa.

The session will open May 6, and continue six weeks, closing with county examination for teachers.

All common branches, voice culture, and vocal music, etc., will be taught.

A class in methods of teaching will receive especial attention.

We can loan books to a limited number who attend this school. For further information address J. C. Beahm, A. M., Princial, Connellsville, Pa.—Adv. 13 wed. tf.

Dickerson Run.

DICKERSON RUN March 12.—E. W. Boots of Pittsburg was a business caller yesterday. He was here inspecting the work on the new bridge which is nearing completion.

Mrs. W. C. Durbin was shopping in Connellsville yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coffman, of Pittsburg are spending a few days here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Newton.

Mrs. Emma Beatty and granddaughter, Miss Gertrude, have returned home after spending a few days visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beatty at Smithfield.

Thursday the 14th will be pay day on the Yough division of the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad, the car will arrive at Dickerson Run at 1:15 p. m.

PETER R. WEIMER

The Leading Piano Dealer of Connellsville

wishes to announce that after 13 years of successful business, he finds it necessary to take over the entire lower floor of the I. O. O. F. Building, 127 and 129 East Crawford Avenue, making one of the largest exclusive music stores in Fayette County where he will continue to handle the well known LESTER, SCHILLER and other high-grade pianos, and in keeping with his policy to handle only the best, Mr. Weimer has secured the agency for "The Brunswick," the world's Greatest Phonograph.

THE BRUNSWICK

The World's Greatest Phonograph

The Brunswick Phonograph is made by the world - famous Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, masters of fine cabinet work. It is a musical masterpiece, embodying all the fine qualities of other phonographs, plus distinctive artistic qualities of its own.

It is equipped with two sound boxes, one for playing Pathe records, another for other makes; a sapphire ball, jewel point and steel needles. Has 12-inch turn table, tone modifier, automatic stop.

Certainly the "world's greatest phonograph," the artistic triumph of science.

Come and hear it play the great music of Europe, old and new—the great European artists—and your own favorite records.

Daily Concerts

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Highest Prices Paid for All Makes Cars

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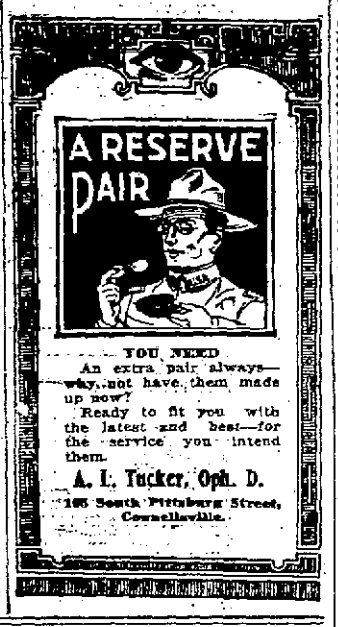

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National Taxi and Transfer Co.

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GOOD TOURING CARS AND TRUCKS TO ALL POINTS.

Quick service.
Moderate charge.
Careful drivers.
Moving and hauling.

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A remedy for infections of the urinary tract. Painless, non-poisonous and will not stricture. Relieves in 1 to 5 days.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

Parcel Post if desired—Price $1, or 2 bottles $2.75. Prepared by

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ACCUMULATE MONEY.

Thrift Stamps and War Certificates Means of Accumulating Money.

It will surprise many people to learn how rapidly Government Thrift Stamps and War Savings Certificates will grow into money. A little added to a little from week to week while times are good will become a substantial fund that may form the basis of a small fortune later. The Citizens National Bank, 138 Pittsburg Street, represents the Government in handling Stamps and Certificates. Call at the bank and arrange for your buying. It is patriotism and profit combined.—adv.

Big 15c Matinee Daily at 2:30. Evening Shows at 7:30 and 9:15.

ARCADE THEATRE

Clean, Progressive Amusement for the Whole Family.

—TODAY AND TOMORROW—

DAVE NEWMAN'S

BLACK AND WHITE REVUE

In the New Military Travesty

"THE NEW RECRUIT"

On the Screen—"Vengeance and the Woman."

FEATURING.

The Funniest Man in Burnt Cork

JACK GRANT

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HELEN McKENNA

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Original Funsters.

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—IN—

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A FUNNY RURAL COMEDY IN 4 ACTS.

FIRST TIME HERE.

A Play long to be remembered. Bring the children. For young men and their fathers—for girls and their fellows. See the fun.

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A FEW CHOICE SEATS AT 50c.

PARAMOUNT THEATRE

TODAY

BLUEBIRD PROTOPLAYS PRESENT MONROE SALISBURY IN

"HANDS DOWN"

DRAMA IN 5 ACTS.

ALSO A GOOD COMEDY.

—TOMORROW—

WILLIAM A. BRADY PRESENTS JUNE ELVIDGE AND MONTAGUE LOVE IN

"BROKEN TIES"

LOVE DRAMA IN 5 ACTS.

UNIVERSAL CURRENT EVENTS

ALSO A GOOD COMEDY

Title and Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania

ENLIST YOUR DOLLARS

in a good cause—one that will help you and your country.

Decide to save all the money you can can now and deposit it regularly to your credit with the Title & Trust Company of Western Pennsylvania. Your account is invited.

The only Bank in this community paying 4% on Savings Accounts.

ORPHEUM THEATRE

TODAY

Wm. Fox Presents the Fox Kiddie Production

"BABES IN THE WOODS"

A Modern Version of the Fairy Tale "Hans and Gretel."

Also "The Mutual Weekly."

—TOMORROW—

The Beautiful and Wonderfully Gowned EDNA GOODRICH in

"WHO LOVED HIM BEST?"

COMING SOON—D. W. GRIFFITH'S "INTOLERANCE."

PATRONIZE HOME MERCHANTS WHO ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER.

WEAR Horner's Clothing

J. B. KURTZ,

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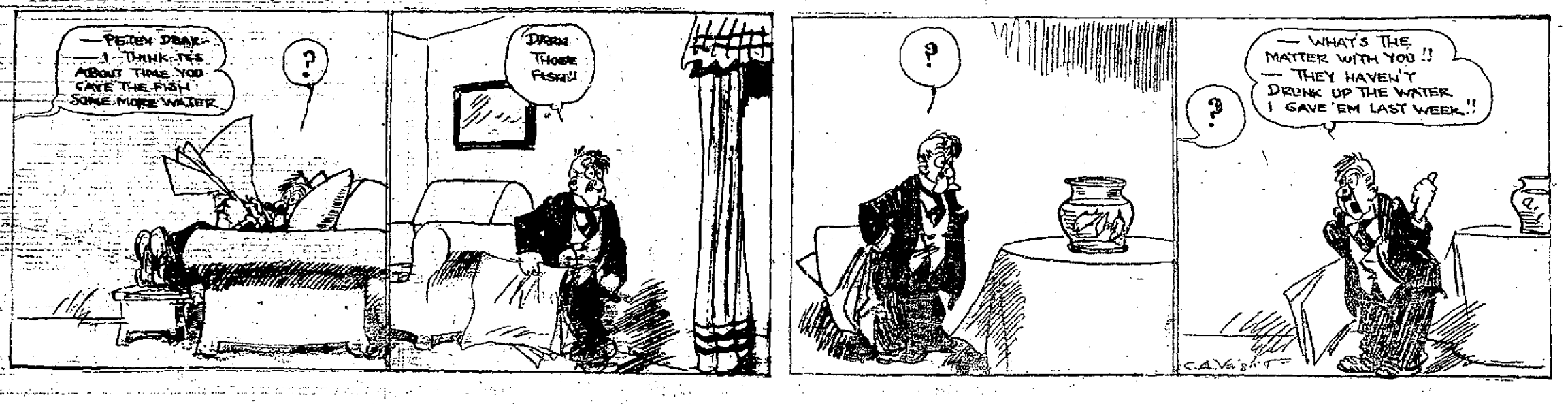
READ THE COURIER.

PETEY DINK—They Can't Be Very Thirsty

By C. A. VOIGHT



IF ALL OUR BUSINESS WERE SENT TO THE MAIL ORDER HOUSES, WHAT OF THIS CITY?

If we permit the big mail order houses to drive our business men out of competition, what will we have left? A place of empty store buildings, an undesirable place in which to live.

If the mail order houses accomplish their purpose it is possible that railroad interests will decide there is not sufficient business to warrant the stopping of trains here—because there will be no reason, then, for traveling men to stay over in our town, no freight to be delivered to our stores.

In such cases we will be trying to sell our property, but will find no buyers, for who will think it a good investment to buy property in a dead town?

But this is just what we must expect if we keep sending our dollars to the mail order houses, for it is only the business of the town that makes the town possible.

When we send practically all of our business to the mail order houses in the cities there will no longer be a necessity for, or a reason for, a town here.

It all resolves itself into the question: "SHALL WE HAVE A PROSPEROUS TOWN, GOOD REAL ESTATE VALUES, GOOD WAGES AND GOOD MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT, OR SHALL WE HAVE A DEAD ONE, WITH PIGS ROOTING IN THE PRINCIPAL STREETS, STORE BUILDINGS EMPTY AND WITH "FOR SALE" SIGNS HUNG UP, NO LIGHTS AND NO FIRE PROTECTION.

IT ALL RESTS WITH US. WE ARE THE ONES TO DECIDE."

Common sense and good judgment tell us to protect our own interests. If we don't, who will?

What can we expect from the mail order houses after they shall have received our money and the local store keepers have been put out of the running? Shall we expect help and assistance from the mail order monopoly?

We all know that the mail order houses do not pay any of our local taxes. They do not support our schools, or churches, or help to pay for our lighting the streets or for our fire department.

Every dollar spent at home means added wealth, added prosperity, added real estate values and added facilities of all kinds.

Every dollar sent to the mail order houses means more unfair competition for our storekeepers and less taxes toward the support of our community.

Which do we prefer? We must make the decision. Are we for or against our community?

LET'S MAKE IT A LIVE TOWN BY KEEPING OUR MONEY IN CIRCULATION AMONG OUR OWN BUSINESS MEN.

Ohiopyle.

OHIOPYLE, March 12.—Miss Edith Colborn returned to her home at Connellsville yesterday after a several days' visit here.

Mrs. Pearle Howell, of Morgantown, W. Va., spent Sunday and Monday with her parents near here.

Fred Rafferty spent Monday calling on friends in Connellsville and Mt. Pleasant.

W. S. Rafferty and family of Connellsville spent Sunday the guest of Garrett street friends.

Rev. Wortman of Mill Run, is assisting Rev. Wissinger with his revival services.

Mrs. Richard McClain and children of Connellsville are spending a few days here the guest of relatives.

OHIOPYLE, March 11.—Miss Ethel Stuck departed Saturday for Braddock to spend a short visit with friends.

Mrs. Ernest Hershberger returned to Connellsville Saturday after spending two weeks at her parents home here.

Fred Rafferty, of Unioniown, is spending this week at his home here.

Little Lulu Shipley who has been ill with pneumonia following a bullet wound is getting along very nicely.

Downer Sailor, who has been ill for the past month is on the mend.

Miss Lena Mitchell, school teacher, of Wilkinsburg, arrived here Saturday to spend a week with friends. She will then depart for Washington, D. C., where she has accepted a government position. Miss Mitchell taught in this vicinity for about ten years, all her many friends wish her the best of success.

Frank Ridgeway and grandson of Morgantown, W. Va., arrived here Saturday to greet old acquaintances.

Frank Hall, of Morgantown, is spending a few days here with relatives.

The W. M. R. R. train No. 2 was detoured over the B. & O. here Saturday owing to a slide at Bidwell on the W. M.

OHIOPYLE, March 13.—Mrs. Robert Holt, and daughter, Jean, spent Monday evening and Tuesday the guest of Connellsville friends.

Mrs. Clara Vaughn was among the Connellsville shoppers and callers yesterday.

M. H. Hochstetler was a recent business visitor in Connellsville.

Miss Laura Stuck of Swissvale is the guest of Ohiopyle friends for a few days.

Miss Violet Mason departed yesterday morning to spend the week-end the guest of relatives in Uniontown.

The meetings in the Baptist church are progressing nicely.

Patronize those who advertise.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, March 11.—J. D. Madigan of Connellsville came up Saturday and remained until Sunday evening visiting at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Madigan and Miss Gertrude Soissen who had been visiting here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Sides of Frostburg, Md., returned home on Monday after a few days' visit here at the home of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. Sides of Large street.

Mrs. L. R. Collins went to Cumberland on Sunday where she entered the Western Maryland hospital for treatment.

Clark Reynolds of Pittsburg spent Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. J. M. Wiland is visiting relatives and friends in Lonaconing, for a few days.

Mrs. Jennie Wilworth left Monday for a few weeks' stay at Atlantic City.

Miss Loretta Aitkin of Washington, Pa., is a guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Schlicht.

Attorney Charles Knapp, a former Meyersdale boy, but now of Baltimore, Md., was calling on friends here Saturday, leaving in the evening for Mt. Savage to visit his sister, Miss Kathryn Knapp and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. M. H. Boucher is spending a few days with relatives in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Minnis are rejoicing over the arrival of a girl at their home, which the stork left Sunday morning, March 10th.

Who to Patronize.

Merchants who advertise their goods The Daily Courier.

Dawson.

DAWSON, March 13.—Mrs. Harry Cochran was shopping in Pittsburg Tuesday.

Mrs. Theresa Grasinger is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Martin Hasson, Connellsville.

Mrs. A. J. Manning has returned home after a few days' visit with her niece, Mrs. Loyd Hurst at New Castle.

Thomas McIntyre spent Monday with relatives at Searight.

Charles Edward Jones has returned to his home at West Newton after a week's visit here with friends.

Mrs. Clarence McGill and two children are spending a few days with her sister, Mr. M. B. Pryce, Connellsville.

Frank Showalter who is located at Newell is spending a few days here at his home.

The community prayer service will be held in the Baptist church this evening at 7:30. Rev. W. B. Purnell in charge.

Jake Luckey is serving on the jury this week at Uniontown.

James Smith was a recent Uniontown business caller.

Ott Haas spent Monday in Dunbar on business.

Charles Colborn Promoted.

SCOTDALE, March 12.—Word has been received by C. A. Colborn, of North Scottdale, that Charles E. Colborn, first class private in Co. B, 324 Field Signal Battalion, Camp Meade, Admiral, Md., has been promoted to corporal. He has just passed his 22nd birthday.

If You Want Something

Advertise for it in our classified column. One cent a word.

STOMACH MISERY

Get Rid of That Sourness, Gas and Indigestion.

When your stomach is out of order or run down, your food doesn't digest. It ferments in your stomach and forms gas which causes sourness, heartburn, foul breath, pain at pit of stomach and many other miserable symptoms.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets will give joyful relief in five minutes; if taken regularly for two weeks they will turn your flabby, sour, tired out stomach into a sweet, energetic, perfect working one.

You can't be very strong and vigorous if your food only half digests. Your appetite will go and nausea, dizziness, biliousness, nervousness, sick headache and constipation will follow.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets are small and easy to swallow and are guaranteed to banish indigestion and any or all of the above symptoms or money back. For sale by A. A. Clarke and all leading druggists.—Adv.

Bank Statement.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE First National Bank at Dawson, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business on March 4, 1918.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c)	$415,031.67	$ 415,031.67
Overdrafts, unsecured	158.06	158.06
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	50,000.00	
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	$500,000.00	550,000.00
Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged	103,350.00	103,350.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks owned unpledged	143,441.11	143,441.11
Stock, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		1,900.00
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription		6,000.00
Value of banking house	23,376.93	23,376.93
Furniture and fixtures		1,900.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		138,462.70
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		849,175.45
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	849,175.45	
Checks on banks and other cash items		31.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		2,596.00
Total		$2,235,362.92

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund		150,000.00
Undivided profits	72,967.39	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,946.31	70,021.08
Circulating notes outstanding		49,500.00
Net amounts due to National banks		20.80
Total of items 22 and 23	2,566.17	
Individual deposits subject to check		1,896,219.27
Certified checks		15,876.34
Cashier's checks outstanding		1,280.16
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, and 41	1,912,375.67	
Total		$2,235,362.92

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss:

I, R. D. HENRY, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. D. HENRY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of March, 1918.

A. VAN HORN, Notary Public.

M. M. COCHRAN,
J. H. PRICE,
M. E. STRAWN,
Directors.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silvis

Illustrated by Gruelle.

GRANNY CHEER VISITS ANN.

ANN'S mama was very poor and had to work out all day to support her little family, leaving Ann to care for the children while she was away.

Now Ann was only a little girl herself and she wanted to play like the other little girls who lived near her home, and taking care of the babies made her very cross.

One day when the children were naughtier than usual and everything seemed to go wrong, Ann ran off to the attic to have a good cry. She hated being poor, she hated the crying babies, and finally she ended by declaring that she hated herself.

"Tut! Tut!" cried a squeaky voice.

Ann saw something move over in the corner and a queer, little, old, wrinkled-up woman, no taller than the baby, came toward her.

"I'm Granny Cheer from Makebelieve Land," she said. "Now tell me why you're crying?" and she sat down beside Ann.

"Because I'm unhappy!" sobbed Ann. "The children are mean and I'm mean and cross, too. I don't want to be that way, but I can't help it."

"Surely you can!" laughed Granny Cheer. "When a little girl can see her faults she's won the hardest part of the battle—the mending of them is easy. Just stop thinking about yourself and think more about the little ones' happiness. Don't scold or be cross to them, but find something for them to do besides quarreling.

"You make your own happiness by taking care of the happiness of others. Try to find something to do that will make your mama happy, too, and you'll be laughing before you know it."

Then—like a puff of smoke—the queer, little, old woman disappeared.

"I'm Granny Cheer."

Ann wiped her eyes and went downstairs. The children were quarreling and fighting out in the yard and Ann, instead of scolding them, soon had them playing games and laughing merrily.

Then she washed the dishes and cleaned up the house. She had never thought of doing it before.

When her mama returned home tired and hungry, she found supper on the table and the little ones nice and clean, playing happily on the floor.

"How splendid to come home and to find things done for me," sighed Ann's mama. "I certainly don't know what I'd do without you, dear, you've made me so happy."

"Then I didn't dream it!" exclaimed Ann, and she told her mama about the queer little woman who had visited her in the attic and what Granny Cheer had told her.

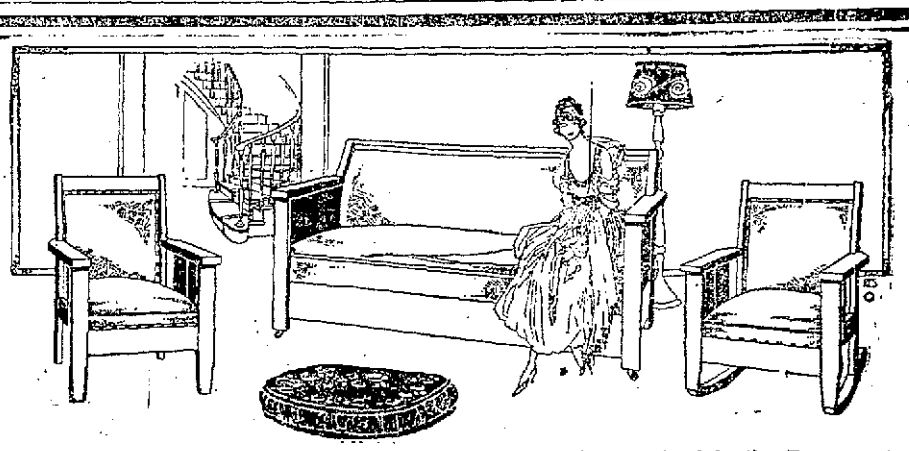
"Granny Cheer is right, whether a dream or not," laughed her mama. "To be happy we must first make some one else happy. But, dear, you must be tired after all this hard work!"

"That's the strangest part of it all," replied Ann. "I'm not tired! I guess one never grows tired doing things for those they love."

Ann often visited the attic in the hope of seeing Granny Cheer again, but Granny Cheer never returned. Perhaps because Ann never needed her again, for Ann never forgot what Granny Cheer had said, and found that it helped her over many a rough place.

This Handsome Bed Davenport Suite

$57.50



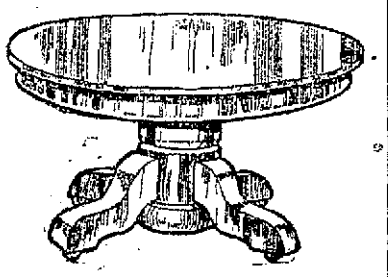
—does more than furnish your living-room or parlor in elegant style as shown in this picture. It also provides you with an extra, full-size, double bed. The bed is all-steel and is contained in the Davenport. A very simple and easy operation makes the change. Such a suite in your home saves the cost of rent and cost of furnishing one room. Such a suite in your home is today considered a sign of up-to-dateness. Our special price is very low, especially when you consider the size, beauty and workmanship of these three pieces. Each piece has solid oak frames, is deeply upholstered and is covered in that most fashionable, rich, golden brown imitation Spanish leather. You needn't even consider the cost because we'll make terms of payment so easy you'll not feel it. This is one of hundreds of similar values which positively prove—

You'll Do Better at the Rapport-Featherman Co.

These Solid Oak Dining Chairs

$2.45 each

Exceptional values that you'll appreciate if you need new Dining Chairs. They have full padded seats covered in a good grade of imitation leather.



Extension Dining Tables on Special Sale for Saturday at

$14.75

Easy Terms $1.00 Cash 50c a Week.

These are of a very fashionable Colonial design with heavy pedestal and have very highly finished tops.

You'll Be Agreeably Surprised at Our Low Prices on Buffets

$1.50

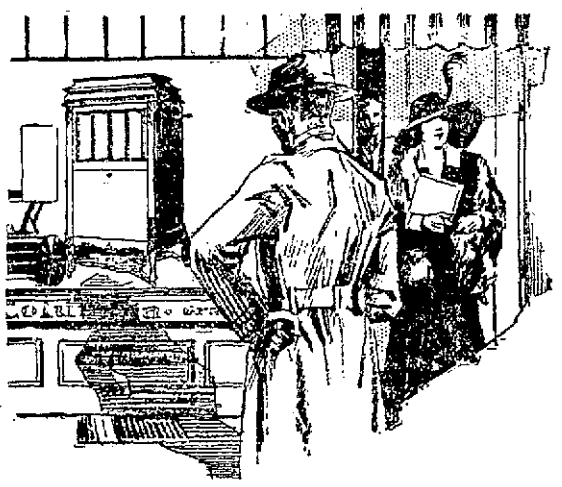
Cash, $1.00 a Week

will put a beauty, similar to this, in your home for only **$27.50**

It's all quarter-sawed oak, splendidly finished, has lots of drawer and cupboard room and the back is fitted with heavy plate mirror.

Columbia Grafonola

and Columbia Records



Come in and Hear the Wonderful COLUMBIA GRAFONOLA

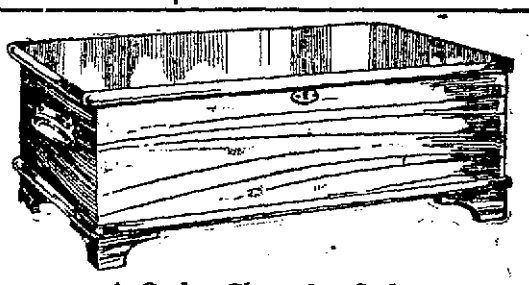
You Are Always Welcome

Sooner or later you'll undoubtedly put one of these instruments in your home where you can enjoy it all the time; then, you'll keep coming here to hear the newest records and make selections, but until you do so let us play for your entertainment at our store.

Have You Seen Our Special Offer?

A Popular Model Grafonola with 12 selections, on easy terms, for only **$89.50**

AND NO INTEREST CHARGES TO PAY AT THE RAPPORT-FEATHERMAN CO., AUTHORIZED COLUMBIA AGENTS.



A Cedar Chest for Only

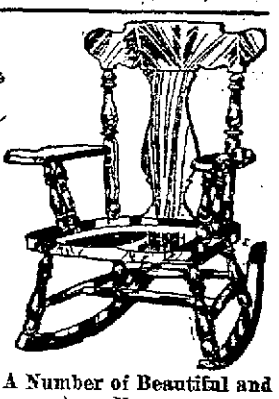
$8.95 and upwards

A handsome piece of furniture for the bedroom. Better than an extra closet because it absolutely protects its contents from moths as well as from dust and dirt. I twill soon be time to put away heavy clothing and furs—get a Cedar Chest now and be prepared. EASY TERMS, AS LOW AS 50c A WEEK.

$1 Cash, $1 a Week

—Will Quickly Pay For This Range Without Your Feeling the Cost at Our Special Sale Price of Only **$19.75**

It has a good, large oven, measuring 18 inches wide, 17 inches deep and 12 inches high. It has drop oven door, which, when open, forms a large shelf, making it easy to handle your baking and roasts. It's asbestos lined so it will hold the heat and operate economically. It has four-burner top and bracket shelf on each side. It's built of heavy gauge steel and is a remarkably great value. COME AND SEE IT!



A Number of Beautiful and Very

Serviceable Rockers

On Special Sale Tomorrow at **$3.95**

Not a rocker in this lot is worth less than $5.00. Most of them are solid oak with shaped saddle seats; all of them are well built, well braced and nicely finished.

One lot of Special Bargains in Upholstered Rockers, Extra Special at only **$10.75**

COMPARISON ALWAYS PROVE - "YOU'LL DO BETTER" AT

The Rapport-Featherman Co.,

Connellsville's Most Dependable Furniture Store.

DONT GAMBLE WITH TIME

Every day you delay starting a savings account you lose something in interest.

And you may also lose some big opportunity to better yourself just for lack of a little money.

Money ahead of you will give you confidence in yourself and give other people confidence in you.

$1 starts an account.

Liberal Interest.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

129 W. Crawford Ave., Connellsville.

"The Bank that Does Things for You"

Checking Accounts Invited.

When you feel discouraged, confused, nervous, tired, worried or despondent it is a sure sign you need MOTT'S NERVERINE PILLS. They renew the normal vigor and make life worth living. Be sure and ask for

Mott's Nerverine Pills Price $1.00 by druggists

WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio

For sale by Connellsville Drug Co.

READ THE COURIER.

J. N. Trump

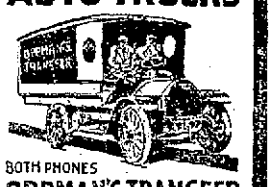
WHITE LINE TRANSFER

MOTOR TRUCK and WAGONS.

MOVING AND HOISTING PIANOS A SPECIALTY.

Office 103 E. Grape Alley, Opposite P. R. R. Depot. Both Phones

MOVE BY AUTO TRUCKS



BOTH PHONES

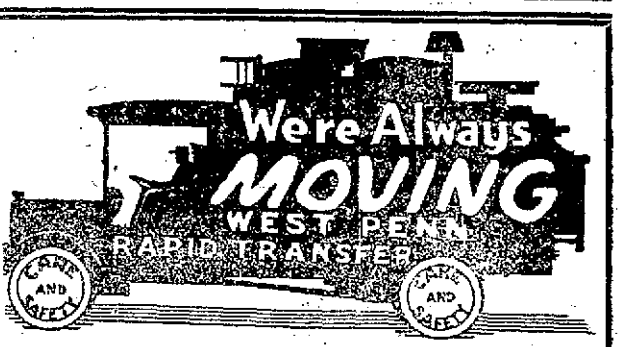
OPPMAN'S TRANSFER

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Classified Ads. One Cent a Word.

PATRONIZE HOME MERCHANTS WHO ADVERTISE IN THIS PAPER



LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE MOVINGS.

Bell 842. Tri-State 573.

Residence 101 Haas Ave., CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

DEVELOP OUR WATER POWER TO SAVE COAL AND OIL RESOURCES

In the Plea to Congress By Secretaries Baker, Lane and Houston.

UNPRECEDENTED DEMANDS

Are Being Made Upon the Electric Industry Make Protection of Water-Power of the Country and Rights of the Public and Capital a Necessity.

Secretary of War Baker, Secretary of the Interior and Secretary of Agriculture Houston have united in a plan to Congress to enact more adequate legislation for the protection and utilization of the water-power of the country. In a joint statement the secretaries say:

"The industrial expansion which has been necessary in order to produce the materials and equipment needed in the prosecution of the war has placed unprecedented demands upon the electric-power industry, to such an extent in fact that the output of commercial central stations has increased more than 60 per cent since 1914. This increase has been greatest in the manufacturing sections of the east where water-power development is comparatively limited, and has been chiefly in the form of steam-generated power, because steam power can be developed more quickly and at less capital cost than water power. This increase in power output has taken place notwithstanding advances in costs of construction and of operation.

"While the form of bill which has been presented for your consideration is directly concerned with water-power development only, an adequate solution of this problem will have a favorable and stabilizing effect upon the whole power industry. Probably no considerable increase in new water-power development can be expected immediately, but legislation is urgently needed in order to put existing water-power developments, which have been made under inadequate law, into a position of security which will enable them to make extensions and to meet maturing obligations upon favorable terms.

"There is also need of legislation in order that time may be given to prepare for the developments that must take place after the close of the war, if the United States is to maintain its proper place in world trade, or even to supply its domestic needs. A survey of our water-power resources is needed, particularly with relation to specific districts and specific industries. The various establishments of the federal government which have had to do with the administration of water power should be coördinated through a single agency, and as far as practicable all agencies, federal, state, and private should be brought into coöperation. It is urgently recommended that a federal power commission be established as provided in the proposed bill and be given ample authority to undertake this work of preliminary investigations.

"Beyond the need of power development as such is the need of increasing the proportion of water power in order to reduce the drain on our coal and petroleum supplies, particularly the latter. Even if the coal supply were unlimited, the reduction in the demands upon labor and transportation equipment would be sufficient reason for substituting water power for steam whenever possible. The petroleum supply, particularly in the west, where the greatest proportion is used for fuel, is being rapidly depleted, consumption has exceeded production and stocks in storage are fast disappearing. With the substitution of water power for steam power in central stations and with the electrification of railroads, a large part of the use of petroleum for fuel could be eliminated.

"Water-power legislation should have in view not only the maintenance of the rights of the public in the national resources, but also the adequate protection of private capital by which such resources are developed."

Owners Must Guard Plants.

War industries and other manufacturing plants virtually have been warned by Secretary of War Baker that they will be compelled to protect their properties. Troops, the war secretary announces, cannot be spared from their war training for police purposes.

If You Are Hunting Bargains: Read the advertising columns of The Daily Courier. You will find them.

MOTHERS, DO THIS—

When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister.

As first aid and a certain remedy, Musterole is excellent. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house, ready for instant use.

It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves sore throat, bronchitis, tonsilitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, chilblains, frosted feet and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE

BUY War Savings Stamps,—today, tomorrow, every day. Every stamp you buy is a shot at the Kaiser. Every stamp you buy is a step nearer your own financial independence. Nothing safer or surer.

THE present displays of children's apparel rank well above the showings of past years, and Opening Days will find them quite in keeping with the displays for men and women. Every mother should give them attention.

You Are Cordially Invited to Be Present at Our

Spring Opening

Thursday and Friday, March 14 and 15---During Which We Offer

Double Gold Bond Stamps With Every Purchase

Two events in one—Connellsville's premier Spring Style Show and a sweeping merchandise reduction of 8% in the form of DOUBLE GOLD BOND STAMPS. There will be no music, but double stamps will be given with every purchase except of Edison Phonographs and groceries. We believe you will favor this new plan over the old, inasmuch as it means an actual saving. Think what this means to YOU and to our other hundreds of friends, with Easter only two weeks away and entire spring wardrobes yet to be purchased. Our advice to you is buy liberally—while the saving may be had—while styles are new—while choosing is certainly at its very best. The store will be decorated as an appropriate setting for the beautiful new creations which will be presented.

COATS

At $15, $19.75, $25 to $79.50
Double Stamps Save 8 Per Cent.

Smart models that express authentically the very best Dame Fashion has to offer for the Spring season 1918. Coats for women, for misses, for juniors, for children—in varieties of fabrics and colors to please every taste. Double Stamps for two days—buy your coat now and make the saving.

SUITS

$19.75, $25, $35 to $69.50
Double Stamps Save 8 Per cent.

Plain tailored, semi-tailored and dressy styles, showing all the new effects in coats, skirts and trimmings. Materials and colors are about equally varied—quite the most distinctive assortment we have ever offered at this time. The Easter Suit should be purchased on Opening Days while Double Gold Bond Stamps are given.

DRESSES

$13.50, $14.95, $25 to $69.75
Double Stamps Save 8 Per cent.

Here in splendid array are all the newer effects in serge, wool jersey, Foulards, georgette and a host of other popular materials. Models to meet every style and price requirement of the woman and miss in quest f a Spring frock for street and afternoon wear. Buy now—get double stamps.

Dress Accessories

Spring Neckwear, Handbags, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons,—and Connellsville's largest and most select line of Toilet Preparations—attractively arranged for easy inspection and choosing. It's a wise woman who buys full supplies while double stamps are given.

New Styles in Spring Blouses

Exquisite Blouses which Fashion has crowned supreme for 1918. Beautiful, original styles in crepe de chine and georgette of fine, shimmering quality and in a complete range of new Spring shades. Cotton Waists in variety of styles and colors that leaves nothing desired.

Springtime Millinery

The accepted modes in Millinery and its many delightful variations of style, trimming, and color, will be specially exhibited Thursday and Friday. The Millinery displays alone would be sufficient to attract hundreds of visitors should no other department in the store participate at all.

Hats from many authoritative sources will be seen, portraying most effectively the true trend of spring fashions. Tailored Hats, Sports Hats Dress Hats—Many of them copies of expensive importations—others by famous New York designers. All with a charm and beauty all their own.

The price range is sufficiently wide to permit every woman a suitable choice no matter what she desires to pay. Add to this the attraction of Double Stamps and it's easy to understand why so many women will buy hats here Thursday and Friday.

Men's Clothing

Handsome new Suits and Topcoats, new Hats, new Caps, new Shirts and new Shoes—together with any of the small items a man will need for Easter or any time this Spring, specially displayed for Thursday and Friday and sold with double stamps.

Floor Coverings

Handsome room size Rugs, small rugs just as attractive and many of them matching — New Carpets — New Linoleums—all of sound, dependable quality and attractive in pattern and design. Double stamps, equivalent to 8%, is worthy of serious consideration.

Silks

Thousands of Yards Shown Double Stamps With All.

Beautiful shimmering silks for the Easter wedding gown; delicate silken fabrics for your finer blouses; serviceable silks in gay colored stripes and figures for your sports skirts;—and the handsome black silks so much in demand. Prices moderate in every case—and the extra concession of double stamps with every purchase.

Wash Goods

Featured for First Time On Spring Opening Days.

You can judge for yourself when you see them, whether there ever were more beautiful designs in the newest of colorings, all ready for the making.

Prices are as moderate as we can make them, and many a woman will want to buy a dress or two while Double Stamps are given.

Woolens

For Suits, Coats, Dresses An Interesting Showing

With gowns made upon simple lines, beauty and distinction must come from the fabric. We had this in mind when choosing our dress goods. No fabric is missing; no color is missing that fashion demands. It is an extensive showing with every wanted quality included. On Opening Days is a sensible and economical time to buy.

WRIGHT-METZLER CO.